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HON. JAS. BRYCE ARRIVES RALEIGH

Distinguished Ambassador to Address Farmers' National Congress.

AFFAIRS OF A DAY AT CAPITAL

Schools to Receive Copy of Railroad Map—National Guard Pleased With Detail—Two Charters Granted—Other News.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 3.—Ambassador James Bryce arrived this afternoon, a guest of President Benehan Cameron, of the National Farmers' Congress. He addresses the Congress tomorrow morning and the North Carolina Literary and Historical Association at night. He will be a guest of honor at a luncheon and reception by Col. Cameron Thursday and at the Capitol Club reception at night.

Official reports show that the standard of illuminating oils on sale in North Carolina has advanced from 80 to 92 degrees Fahrenheit in July to 100 degrees, in October under the new inspection act.

Through the co operation of the Department of Education and the Corporation Commission arrangements have been made whereby every school in North Carolina can be furnished with one of the exceptionally good maps of North Carolina prepared by Secretary Henry C. Brown, of the Commission, as the official railroad map of the State. These have been issued within the past few weeks and are right up to date in every respect, having special features that are sure to prove of great value in the school rooms. State Superintendent Joyner has taken this matter up with the county and city superintendents of the public schools. The maps, well mounted on rolls, are to be furnished by the publishers at only 25 cents each. They are 58x24 inches, and are to be delivered to the county and city superintendents in lots of not less than 50 each.

The State Agricultural building was elaborately decorated today in National colors in honor of the National Farmers' Congress that convenes tomorow for eight days' annual session here. Already the advance guard of the delegations that are to come from all parts of the country, especially the Northwest and the West, are arriving and the indications are that the attendance will measure up to the highest expectations. The Raleigh Chamber of Commerce, through Col. F. A. Olds, secretary, is, with the co operation of other commercial organizations here, doing effective work in making sure that the accommodations accorded the farmer delegates will be a credit to Raleigh and the State.

From companies of the National Guard in all parts of the State are coming in to headquarters here expressions of gratification in the matter of there being now available in the person of Sergeant John Wadington, Company K, Second Regiment, United States Army, an expert and specially trained non commissioned officer, to give special instruction to the men of the various companies. Applications are coming in fast and it looks like Sergeant Wadington will be a mighty busy man for some time to come. He is spending some time just now in the office of Adjutant General Armfield, here, familiarizing himself with the military conditions in the State as indicated through the records and reports in this office.

The Phelps Co., Winston Salem, is chartered with $25,000 capital by R. Duke Phelps, C. M. Phelps, and J. W. Dalton for a merchant tailoring business. Another charter is to the Lookout Co., $125,000 capital, by H. H. Hamlin and others for a general real estate business.

ENCOURAGES PROHIBITION.

Chairman Jones Pleased With Tuesday's Elections—All Clean Men.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—Charles R. Jones, chairman of the National Committee of the Prohibition party, sees encouragement for prohibition in the election returns throughout the country yesterday despite the defeat of reform forces in many principal cities.

"The most important feature of the elections," said Chairman Jones today, "was not the series of anti-license victories in Illinois and other States, but the startling defeat of reform forces in Buffalo, Cincinnati, San Francisco and other large cities. These defeats are in no case a result of indifference to political reform and civic righteousness in the large cities. In almost every case there was evident a strong public sentiment for the election of clean men to office and the wiping out of the graft.

"The triumph of the liquor forces in Philadelphia, Cincinnati, Louisville and San Francisco proves undeniably that the only way to drive out the corrupt elements and break their grip upon public affairs is by the union of all the forces of good citizenship in a permanent political organization."

BUTLERS GET A NEW TRIAL

Supreme Court Handed Down Opinion In Noted Case From Greensboro Yesterday—Fourteen Appeals Were Decided Yesterday.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 3.—The Supreme Court grants ex-United States Senator Marion Butler and his brother, Lester Butler, editor of the Caucasian, new trials in the case against them in Guilford county in which they were fined respectively $500 and $250, for criminal libel against ex-Chief Justice Spencer B. Adams, of the Choctaw-Chickashaw Court of Land Claims in the Indian Territory, now North Carolina Republican State chairman.

The opinion is written by Justice Hoke, and the new trial is based on two grounds—the wrongful admission as evidence as to law statement by a District of Columbia Judge as to the famous $750,000 counsel fees when the Judge, so the North Carolina Court rules, merely referred to the fees as a fact; and the action of the trial judge in holding the Butlers as defendants to admissions made in the justice of the peace hearing purely for the purpose of continuance that should not have been held against them until proven in the final trial.

Fourteen appeals were disposed of all told today, with opinions and otherwise as follows: Pritchard vs. Panacea Springs, Warren county, appeal dismissed; Mutto vs. Davis, Edgecombe, reversed; Winslow vs. Railroad, Sampson, affirmed; Williamson vs. Telegraph Co., Wake, affirmed; Bellamy vs. Andrews, Wake, affirmed; State vs. Spivey, Bladen, affirmed; West vs. Railroad, Union, reversed; State vs. Butler, Guilford, new trial; State vs. Green, Moore, per curiam, affirmed; Dunlap vs. Little, Anson, per curiam, affirmed; Allen vs. Telegraph Co., Alamance, per curiam, affirmed; Burgess vs. Hutson, Randolph, dismissed for failure to print the record; Thompson vs. Railroad, Randolph, dismissed under Rule 17; Oakes vs. Western Union Telegraph Co., Davidson, dismissed under Rule 17.

MISTRIAL IN WATKINS CASE.

Six For Acquittal and Six For Manslaughter—Jury Divided.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., Nov. 3.—After deliberating for 96 hours and 20 minutes, the jury in the case of F. C. Watkins, who was tried for the murder of John Hill Bunting, at Black Mountain Hotel, on August 7th, was called into the court room by Judge Adams at 3:30 this afternoon and discharged after declaring that it was impossible for them to agree on a verdict.

Judge Adams asked each man and they all declared it impossible for them to change their convictions. He then took a poll of the jury and found they stood six for conviction of manslaughter and six for acquittal.

They were then discharged. Immediately Judge Adams reduced the $5,000 bond under which Watkins is held one-half and it was promptly furnished. Solicitor Mark W. Brown, who made a reputation for his fearless work in the case, said that it would be impossible to try the case again before February. It was learned also that the jury had stood the same on every ballot and had decided upon manslaughter instead of second degree murder soon after taking the case.

NEW SEABOARD OFFICERS.

Will Be Elected at Meeting Reorganization Committee Today.

Baltimore, Nov. 3.—The committee of directors of the Seaboard Air Line Railway appointed at the last meeting of the board to recommend officers to serve under the reorganization, will hold a preliminary meeting in New York tomorrow to discuss the scope of the committee and otherwise arrange for the work intrusted to it. The names of the committee members have not yet been made public.

It is understood in financial circles in Baltimore and New York that the offices to be filled in addition to President and one of more vice presidents is chairman of the executive committee, though the recommendations of the committee will go far in determining the number of officers to be created and the authority of the incumbents.

Belief prevails in some quarters that the recommendations of the committee will be ready for submission to the board at its meeting one week from tomorrow, which also is the date for the annual meeting of the stockholders, though the desire of the committee to thoroughly canvass the situation with the view of recommending men who will be satisfactory to all interests may delay the report.

NORFOLK & SOUTHERN.

Failed to Answer Original Petition of Minority Bondholder.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 3.—The Norfolk & Southern Railway Company today failed to make answer to the original petition filed in the Trust Company of American receivership proceedings against that road by Fergus Reid, minority bondholder, asking a searching investigation into the financial organization of the defendant road by those now desiring its sale under foreclosure for reorganization. This was the last day in which answer could be filed.

Flags and bunting at Gaylord's. **

CARNEGIE HEROES NUMBER FIFTY

Commission Awards Gifts and Medals For Acts of Bravery.

NOTED DEEDS OF HEROISM

All Residents of United States With One Exception—Account of Deeds of Ohio Merchant—Philadelphia Stevedore.

Pittsburg, Nov. 3.—With the regular Fall meeting of the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission today came the rewarding of 50 person throughout this county and Canada for acts of bravery and illustrious conduct. With the exception of one award made to a citizen of Canada, the entire list of persons remembered by the Carnegie commission are residents of the United States, 22 being persons living in Ohio.

Approximately $33,000, 23 silver and 27 bronze medals were awarded by the action of today's meeting of the commission. Of the 50 heroic acts approved fourteen of the persons responsible for them met their death. In these cases next of kin received the award.

Deeds of heroism during the flood at Athens, Ohio, on March 14, 1907, received the greater part of the attention of the commission. The acts of courage brought to the attention of the commission included saving children from fast running passenger trains, rescue from raging flood rivers, stopping unmanageable runaway horses and carrying persons from burning buildings.

Prominent among the awards and probably the most spectacular act of bravery called to the attention of the commission was the case of Halley M. Woods, a merchant of Athens, Ohio, and an expert swimmer. During the floods of the Hocking river in March, 1907, Woods unassisted rescued two men a woman from almost certain death when he rowed a flat bottomed skiff through a wild running river current into the second story window of a half submerged house, carrying his rescued fellow citizens to shore in safety. In investigating the case of Woods, the commission found that he was in debt in excess of $1,000 for his small merchandise and presented him with a check for $1,000 and a silver medal.

Several other cases of bravery during the Athens flood were also rewarded suitably.

A particularly worthy award was the case of George E. McCue, colored, of Garden City, Kas., whose heroic act in rescuing a baby from in front of a fast traveling passenger train was brought to the attention of the commission by officials of the town where the colored hero lived. McCue was given a bronze medal for his act and $500 for educational purposes, he having expressed a desire to attend an industrial school for colored men.

In Philadelphia the commission found William M. Edwards, a longshoreman, 25 years of age, who forgot race prejudice in his anxiety to be of service to his fellowmen.

While the Arcadia, a freight steamer plying between Hamburg and Philadelphia, was being unloaded during July, 1908, an explosion in the cargo occurred. Most of the stevedores working below decks were knocked down and bruised, some being burned. Many of the workers deserted the ship. Smoke and flames came from the hatches. Cries and groans of the injured below decks came to the party of men waiting on deck. Edwards volunteered to attempt the rescue of the imprisoned men. Tying a rope to a block, Edwards slid into the burning hold, but could find nothing. Hearing groans, he deserted his guide rope and bending low searched in the direction of the cries of pain. After a long search he located Lucius Hubbard, colored, and bringing his conscious fellow workman to the open hatch had him hoisted to the deck to safety, following himself when assured there were no other persons in the burning vessel. A silver medal was given Edwards and the sum of $1,000 to be applied to the purchase of a home or such other worthy purpose as may be approved by the commission.

In each of the 50 awards a human interest story of real heroism is told. One hundred and six applicants for medals and monetary award were considered by the commission at today's meeting, but only an even hundred were successful.

DURHAM WANTS BASEBALL.

Bids for Place in the Carolina League. Funds Are Ready.

Durham, N. C., Nov. 3.—At a meeting of local baseball enthusiasts last night the necessary fund was subscribed and a representative will be sent to Charlotte to bid for a place in the Carolina League.

It is understood that Durham can secure McKevit, Greensboro's twice successful manager, by early application. There is plenty of enthusiasm and money can be found plentifully.

TAMMANY PLANS FOR NEW REGIME

Aftermath of New York Election and Coming Administration.

CONTROL OF THE FINANCES

Safely in Hands of the Opposition Party—Big Victory for Republicon-Fusion Ticket—Murphy and Tammany.

New York, Nov. 3.—Battle-scarred Tammany, which yesterday elected a mayor but lost a city, took up today the gloomy work of setting its house in order for four years of avowed anti-Tammany government in Greater New York.

Analysis shows that the election, which resulted in the defeat by the fusion forces of every important Tammany Democratic candidate below the mayor, was more of a victory for the anti-Tammany Democrats, who had lined up with the Republicans under the fusion banner, than for the straight-out Republicans.

Anti-Tammany delegates elected on the Republican-fusion ticket for four years will be in absolute control of the city's purse strings. They will have a majority in the board of estimate apportionment, one of the most powerful municipal bodies in any city of the world, and therefore the right of control for spending more than a billion dollars of the city's money.

The board of estimate, as elected includes, besides Mayor-elect Gaynor—who in the past has been a strong anti-machine man—five anti-Tammany Democrats and two Republicans.

The 16 votes allotted the various members of the board are so distributed that besides Justice Gaynor's three ballots the anti-Tammany Democrats will have nine and the Republicans four.

In this board, according to the anti-Tammany Democrats, is to be found a nucleus of what they believe will make for a complete reorganization of the Democratic party in Greater New York.

Persistent rumor had it today that the attempt to create a new order of things for the New York City Democracy already was under way. Charles F. Murphy, who succeeded Richard Croker as Tammany leader, came out with a formal disavowal of these rumors at the same time denying a report that he was to be deposed from the leadership.

"I have no intention of resigning," said Murphy. "I have not heard of any opposition to me within the party and I have heard nothing about these reported rumblings of discontent and approaching revolt."

The presence of Richard Croker in the city was a matter of considerable speculation to those who were studying the situation and the announcement that he had extended his visit here five days longer than previously announced was regarded as significant.

"I am out of politics for good and all," Mr. Croker declared. "Not for a million dollars would I re-consider my determination to keep in the background. Yes, they asked me to come back—they always do that. But I'm too old and couldn't stand the racket."

Complete returns on the balloting in the aldermanic districts show that Tammany lost ground also in that body, and that the Democratic majority

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OUTLINES.

The National conference on pellagra convened at Columbia, S. C., yesterday and Commissioner Watson, of South Carolina, stated in an address that Rockefeller's gift of a million to fight the hook worm would have been far more valuable if given to fight pellagra——President Taft spent yesterday in Birmingham, Ala., where he again emphasized his good will toward the South. He left last night for Macon, Ga., and will arrive in Savannah tomorrow night——The Carnegie Hero Fund Commission at the annual Fall meeting yesterday announced rewards for 50 people for acts of bravery and illustrious conduct——The American Geographical Society formally recognized Commander Peary as a discoverer of the North Pole and have awarded him a medal. The records of Dr. Cook will be examined next——The Nicaraguan revolution and the action of other Central American Republics toward this country are being closely watched by the governments of the United States and Mexico.——New York markets: Money on call firm 3 to 3 1-2, ruling rate 4, closing bid 3 3-4, offered at 3 7-8; time loans firm. Flour quiet and easier to sell. Wheat spot weak, No. 2 red 1.25 5-8 asked, domestic elevator and 1.21 asked to arrive, f. o. b. afloat Corn spot steady, No. 2 2 1-2 elevator and 70 f.o.b. afloat. Oats spot steady, mixed nominal. Rosin steady. Turpentine easy.

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TAFT'S GOOD WILL TOWARD SOUTH

Again Emphasized in His Address at Birmingham Visit.

SPEAKS OF PROHIBITION

Refers to Proposition for State-Wide Issue—Asked for His Position on the Question—Urges Roosevelt Policies.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 3.—President Taft brought his 20 hours' stay in Birmingham to a close this afternoon and left for Macon, Ga. He stopped tonight for a short stay at Opelika, Ala., and at Columbus, Ga.

In his principal Birmingham address, delivered at Capital Park this afternoon to an immense and an unusually demonstrative crowd, the President again expressed his good will toward the South. While doing so a gray-bearded man in the crowd called out: "God bless you; we all love you."

A broad smile came over the President's face as he replied:

"That reminds me of the old quotation 'It may be all right to dissemble your love, but why did you kick me down stairs?' But I have no fault to find on that score," added the President. "The fact that you had so little to do with putting me where I am makes me appreciate the warmth and sincerity of your reception all the more."

The President urged support in carrying out the Roosevelt policies, to bring about the better conditions of honesty and integrity in business and public affairs without regard to party lines.

The President refered to the proposition to amend the State constitution by providing in it for an indefinite continuance of State-wide prohibition. He promptly was asked how he stood on the question.

"I am not an Alabamian," he replied amid laughter, "and I am in sympathy with the position of Brother Fox, who when he was called upon to decide a case between a lion and some other ferocious beast, protested that he had a bad cold and had entirely lost his sense of smell."

When the President left the lunch, the way from the club house door to the waiting automobile was lined on one side by Veterans of the Confederate army and on the other side by Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic. As he passed down this avenue Mr. Taft shook hands alternately with each one.

As he shook hands with one of the Confederates the old fellow said: Mr. President, you have captured the secessionists, the Ku Klux and the cranky Democrats, all of them."

"Well, that's a whole lot," smilingly replied the President.

Savannah Ready For Taft.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 3.—On a special train President Taft will reach Savannah tomorrow afternoon at 6:30 o'clock. The city is gay with bunting. The home of General W. W. Gordon, who will be the President's host, is decorated in the National colors.

Governor Brown will accompany the President from Macon to Savannah. Colonel Dan C. King will take the place of Secretary of War Dickinson at the banquet tomorrow, while Admiral Charles S. Sperry also will be a speaker.

The Chatham artillery will fire a salute from two brass cannons which were given the command of President George Washington in 1791. Besides President Washington the cannons have been used to fire salutes to Presidents Monroe, Arthur, Cleveland and McKinley.

A trip aboard the revenue cutter Yamacraw a review of the school children of Savannah, a trip around the automobile course and a lunch at Thunderbolt are on the President's programme for Friday.

The President declared today that he always thought of Birmingham as one of the group of cities like Atlanta, Pittsburg, Chicago, Minneapolis, Seattle and Los Angeles "that do things."

"Birmingham," said the President, "because of her cosmopolitan character and because she is becoming more and more aware of how close she is to the North and how close she is to the entire country in a business way, is influencing the South, as the North is influenced toward her, to believe that this country is ceasing to have sections—not ceasing to have traditions. And there is a distinction I would like to make as emphatic as possible.

"I would not have the South give up a single one of her noble traditions. I would not have her abate a single bit of the deep pride she feels in all her great heroes that represented here in that awful struggle between the North and South, but I would have the whole country know as I believe the South is growing herself to know, that it is possible to preserve all those traditions intact and have a warm and deeply loyal love of the old flag to which she has come back."

About noon began a parade, one of the largest ever seen in Birmingham, composed of commercial, civic and fraternal organizations, school children and no less than 300 automobiles. German and Italian societies turned out with native and American flags floating.

While on the way to the Country Club today the President stopped at the residence of General Rufus N. Rhodes, editor of the Birmingham News, and a director of the Associated Press, who is seriously ill. The President alighted from his car and expressed to Mrs. Rhodes his regrets at not seeing General Rhodes at the banquet last night and also extended sympathy for his illness.

HONOR PEARY FOR SUCCESS

National Geographic Society Recognize Him as a Discoverer of the Pole—Presented With Medal—Cook's Record.

Washington, Nov. 3.—For having reached the North Pole Commander Robert E. Peary was today voted a gold medal by the National Geographic Society. The board of managers of the society today accepted unanimously the report of its sub-committee of scientists who had examined the explorer's records and proofs and found them to be conclusive of his claim that he had reached the pole.

The society adopted a resolution that the question of whether or not any explorer reached the North Pole prior to 1909, shall be referred to a sub-committee of experts with authority to send for papers or make such journeys as may be necessary to inspect original records. This indicates that the society proposes as soon as possible to pass upon the records of Dr. Frederick A. Cook.

The scientists will spare no expense in order that they may be convinced on this point. Dr. Cook will be advised immediately of the society's action.

At the meeting of the board of managers there were present 15 men all prominent in the scientific world. After the report of the sub-committee was submitted there was a debate lasting more than two hours, but finally the board voted unanimously to accept the report of the three experts who believed without any question of doubt that Commander Peary reached the North Pole April 6, 1909.

In addition to awarding Commander Peary a special gold medal as a token of the highest honor the society can bestow upon him, it was also decided that a medal be given to Captain R. A. Bartlett, who was declared by the society to have displayed "able seamanship, pertinacious effort and able management" during the Peary Arctic Expedition.

The report of the sub-committee of experts before whom Commander Peary appeared with his records and instruments was as follows:

"The sub-committee to which was referred the task of examining the records of Commander Peary in evidence of his having reached the North Pole, beg to report that they have completed their task.

"Commander Peary has submitted to this sub-committee his original journal and records of observations together with all his instruments and apparatus and certain of the most important of the scientific results of his expedition. These have been carefully examined by your sub-committee and they are unanimously of the opinion that Commander Peary reached the North Pole on April 6, 1909.

"They also feel warranted in stating that the organization, planning and management of the expedition, its complete success and its scientific results, reflect the greatest credit on the ability of Commander Robert E. Peary and render him worthy of the highest honors that the National Geographic Society can bestow upon him.

(Signed) "HENRY GANNETT,
"C. M. CHESTER,
"O. H. TITTMANN."

The resolutions adopted by the society were as follows:

"Whereas, Commander Robert E. Peary has reached the North Pole, the goal sought for centuries,

"Whereas, this is the greatest geographical achievement that this society can have opportunity to honor, therefore,

"Resolved, That a special medal be awarded to Commander Peary.

"Resolved, That the question of whether or not anyone reached the North Pole prior to 1909 be referred to the committee on research with instructions to recommend to the board of managers a sub-committee of experts who shall have authority to send for papers or make such journeys as may be necessary to inspect original records, and that this action of the society be communicated at once to those who may have evidence of importance."

GERMAN AIRSHIP SQUADRON.

War Maneuvers in Valley of the Rhine Yesterday.

Cologne, Rhenish Prussia, Nov. 3.—The German airship squadron consisting of the dirigibles Parseval III, Zepelin II, and the military airship No. 11 continuing their maneuvers in the valley of the Rhine, executed a sham attack upon the fortress Ehrenbreitstein early today. Leaving here soon after midnight the squadron flew up the Rhine to Coblenz, surprised the garrison there and then swooped down upon the fortress of Ehrenbreitstein on the opposite bank of the river. The airships returned here early in the forenoon.

PELLAGRA MEETING ON IN COLUMBIA

Men of Medicine Discuss the Disease in Southern States.

PRAISE SOUTH'S DOCTORS

Place Hook Worm and Pellagra in the Same Class in Their Death Dealing Work—Dr. Sandwith's Paper a Feature.

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 3.—"While we regard Mr. Rockefeller's princely gift for the eradication of the hook-worm at its true value, we say $1,000,000 for the battle against the disease of pellagra would be far more valuable" declared Colonel E. J. Watson, South Carolina's commissioner of agriculture, commerce and industries, in an address on the economic factors of the pellagra problem in South Carolina, before the first National conference on pellagra, which opened here today, with an attendance of 300 prominent physicians and scientists representing more than a third of the States and the United States Government.

Colonel Watson has made a careful study of pellagra because of the generally accepted theory that it is due to the consumption of impure corn and corn products. Unless preventative measures are taken without delay, he said, the corn industry will be seriously threatened. He declared that not only the Federal Government, but the corn consuming States as well must put into force a rigorous inspection of corn and corn products.

In this view Colonel Watson has the support of the eminent physicians and scientific investigators attending the conference. All agree that radical measures must be taken and without delay to prevent the spread of this disease.

George A. Zeller, superintendent of the State hospital for the insane, Peroria, Ill., views the situation with alarm and in concluding an address telling of the recognition of pellagra in Illinois, and the means taken to control it, declared he believed the country is threatened with a National scourge.

Dr. Zeller is convinced that patients have been dying of pellagra in the Peoria hospital for years past, without the disease even having been properly diagnosed. He admitted that patients had died of the disease before its recognition as pellagra in August last, the deaths being either attributed to sun burn or, as in two cases the scalding of the patients while being given baths.

In the course of his remarks Dr. Zeller touched briefly upon the hook-worm and created a mild sensation when he suggested that many thousands of the Federal prisoners, who died in the Confederate stockade at Andersonville, Ga., during the Civil War, were victims of the hook-worm. "And perhaps, after all," declared Dr. Zeller "the monument recently erected at Andersonville to the memory of Captain Wirz, commandant of the prison is not so much out of place as so many of us in the North have been won't to believe."

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 3.—Pellagra and hook-worms travel nand-in-hand in their death dealing work. Where the former is found there also may be found the latter in many cases boring its way to the vitals of the patient and until the hook-worm is routed the successful treatment of the coexistent pellagra is useless to attempt The battle against pellagra therefore involves the training of the artillery of the scientific world upon the hook worm

This new development in the investigation of pellagra was brought here this afternoon in an able paper dealing with this disease prepared by Dr. F. M. Sandwith, of London, Gresham professor in physics and which was read before the International Conference on pellagra by Dr. J. W. Babcock, superintendent of the South Carolina hospital for the insane, and prime mover in the organization of the meeting. One hundred and fifty prominent physicians and scientists from all sections of the United States are in attendance.

Physicians, alienists, nerve and skin specialtists and skin specialists and public health officials from more than a dozen States are participating in a two days' conference on pellagra which opened at the State Hospital for the insane here today with an address of welcome by Governor Ansel, and papers on various phases of the pellagra problem have been contributed for the meeting by medical men of England, Egypt, France, Mexico and the West Indies

Indirectly the conference is due to suggestions by the late Cesare Lombroso, the great Italian authority to whom Doctors Babcock and Watson, of this city turned for advice when they identified as pellagra a disease that was making terrible ravages among the State's insane. At first nothing more than a local conference was planned but as news of the meeting spread and interest in pellagra increased the affair became national then international in its interests.

Practically all the papers from abroad were offered without solicitation, and from many foreign sources have come requests for the published proceedings of the conference.

Surgeon General Wyman of the United States Public Health and Marine Hospital service has detailed for attendance not only Dr. C. H. Lavinder, who has been engaged upon the study of pellagra mostly here and in Illinois for the past year, but also Assistant Surgeon General J. W. Kerr, Dr. Rief Hunt, Chief of the division of Pharmacology and Dr. John D. Long, of the Hygienic laboratory In a letter Surgeon General of the great importance of pellagra, and in view of the more extended studies which this service expects to make of the disease.

More than thirty papers are ready for the conference, either features of which will include lantern demonstrations, clenics and the presentation of typical and abnormal cases. For the general public the greatest interest lies in the light to be thrown upon the maize theory of pellagra's causation.

Papers in hand for discussion and publication includes many of rare interest both general and technically.

Dr. Sandwith's paper was read by Dr. . W. Babcock, of Columbia, as follows:

"I feel that my first words must be those of congratulation and encouragement to the many physicians in the Southern States, who are now working at the various problems connected with pellagra Congratulation in the first place because they have discovered the existence of the disease, because they have impress this discovery upon others so that the presence of pellagra is now thoroughly recognized

"If I venture also to encourage American co-workers it is not with any improper desire to draw attention to my own work, but because I happen to be in the unique position (with regard to this one disease) of being able to appreciate their difficulties.

"In spite of denials from American authorities on medicine I have always suspected that pellagra might exist unrecognized in the South and at one time I requested my friends to put me into communication with the poorest folks of the maize-eating districts I was referred to a settlement in Eastern Virginia for pauper negroes, but on investigation I found that the inmates lived in stone houses, on pork rations and I came to the conclusion that the word poverty represented no condition in America whica would compare with the misery of the impoverished peasants of Italy, Roumania, or Egypt.

"In April 1905 I had the good fortune to be at Boston, Mass., during an epidemic of cerebro spinal meningitis and the very first patient whom I saw at the city hospital by the courtesy of Dr. C. F. Witnington, was an Italian emigrant, who also displayed a well marked pellagrous eruption. This leads one to wonder whether the United States Public Health and Marine Hospital Service officers, who examine the emigrants, at Naples and other Italian ports should not include pellagra among the prohibitory diseases.

"Now that tne diagnosis of pellagra has been firmly established in so many States, it would be well to find out for certain how many persons are attacked by the disease in the South. In order to arrive at any correct figures, it might be well to institute compulsory notification of the disease at least as a temporary measure. In Italy there has been a law to that effect since 1888. I would also recommend that agricultural laborers should be examined in the States where pellagra is known to be prevalent, such as Georgia and North and South Carolina. This might be done in February or march, when the eruption is likely to be present.

"In 1901 and 1902 I obtained permission to examine 500 Egyptian peasants who were actually at work in the fields. They all stoutly denied that they were ill and their employers who were with them stated they could all do a fair day's work, that in every field I found early cases of pellagra bearing from 15 per cent. in well to-do districts, to 62 per cent. in the inhabitants of the poorest hamlets. The treatment of early pellagra cases without mental symptoms can be successfully accomplished by putting the patient on a liberal diet, excluding maize and by ridding him of the hook worms which are so often co-existent, but the pellagrous symptoms return if he is allowed to resume a diet of musty maize. Various preparations of arsenic are used in advanced cases, but wnen the brain is attacked there is small hope for the patient, unless by serotherapy. Pellagra is essentially a disease which cries for preventive measures.

"Italy, by preventative measures has since 1888 reduced the mortality of pellagra from 3,483 to 1,635, though during the years 1888 to 1907 the maize area under cultivation has increased from 5.79 to 6.33 per cent. of the waole country. This points the moral that it is the quality not the quantity of maize which is at fault.

"Tnere are certain general axioms which generally prove in Italy and Egypt and it will doubtless be found that they hold good in the United States also:

"1. In districts where no maize is cultivated or habitually eaten, pellagra does not exist.

"3. Well-to-do people in pellagra maize has been cultivated for many years and yet pellagra has not appeared.

"3 Well-to-do people in Pellagra districts living on varied diet and consuming maize as an occasional, and not as a staple cereal, usually escape pellagra.

"4. It is not good maize or good flour which produces pellagra; the disease requires for its production a habitua. use of damaged maize in some form.

STATESVILLE COTTON MILLS.

Running Only Four Days a Week to Curtail Output—Rent Taken Off.

Statesville, N. C., Nov. 3.—The Statesville Cotton Mills is now running only four days a week. The mill people say they are unable to sell their product at a profit. While the mill is running on short time, the mill operatives will not be charged house rent.

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AFFAIRS AT CLINTON.

Serious Fire Narrowly Averted—Court in Session—Pellagra.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Clinton, N. C., Nov. 3.—A serious fire was narrowly averted last night by a timely alarm and prompt response. Fire was discovered on the cotton platform adjoining the railroad station. Two bales of cotton, the property of Col. G. L. Peterson, were damaged badly. A strange circumstance was that the hoops were all off one of the bales when reached, as if cut. The origin of the fire is not known, some believing it incendiary and others thinking it probably accidental resulting from a cigarette stump of a night prowler. There were about 100 bales on the platform which were saved by the timely arrival of Messrs. T. E. Owen and B. H. Crumpler and Col. Peterson, who seized the burning bales and threw them off the platform.

Superior Court is in session here this week. The entire two weeks' term will be taken up in the trial of criminal cases and the civil docket will not be reached at all. Judge O. H. Allen is presiding and Solicitor Duffy represents the State. The only case of importance is that of Matthew Simmons, the colored boy who stands charged with the murder of his father, Henry Simmons, the colored barber, some two months ago. The State will ask for a verdict of murder in the second degree.

Cotton selling around 15 cents and cotton seed around 45 cents would seem to revive the old idea that cotton is King. There is a dangerous side to the situation, however, in that farmers may stampede into over-production of cotton next year to the neglect of other crops and suffer in consequence.

It is stated that Mrs. Thomas Chapman, wife of the pastor of the Universalist church here, has pellagra. The many friends of this estimable family will learn of this with regret. The afflicted lady is under treatment and hope for her recovery is entertained as the case has not yet reached an advanced stage.

STARTLED THE POLICE.

Will Carter Set Upon by Band of Robbers in Outskirts of City.

(Greensboro News.)

Will Carter, a lanky negro of the gingercake variety, rushed into police headquarters yesterday afternoon and breathlessly exclaimed that he had been chased for several blocks by a band of murderers or robbers, who brandished pistols and clubs in their efforts to stop him "and do he don't know what not."

After regaining his breath and composure, Carter explained to the police that while walking along the extreme limit of Bilbro street he passed the house of a friend and decided that he would stop and pass the time, but upon knocking at the door and calling to his friend, a crowd of men and women swarmed out the door with many threats, whereupon he took to his heels. He had hardly started running when he was struck by three pints of whiskey, flung by one of his pursuers, and failing in their efforts to stop him with such mild methods, the robbers or "what not" began firing. A squad of police were sent out to investigate the matter, and as a result Dave Whitfield is languishing behind prison bars. Dave, it seems, was the leader of the gang, whose names he refuses to reveal, even though he has been subjected to what is known in police circles as the second degree, but there is a strong probability that he will change his tactics after a few minutes in consultation with Judge Eure this morning. Upon Dave's person was found a somewhat dilapidated old pistol, though it is evidently not the one of some forty-odd calibre described by the witness.

NOTED VISITOR IN RALEIG.

Hon. Hilary A. Herbert, Secretary of Navy During Cleveland Administration.

(News and Observer.)

Visiting in the city is Hon. Hilary A. Herbert, for many terms a member of Congress from Alabama, Secretary of the Navy during the administration of President Cleveland, now a prominent lawyer of Washington, D. C.

Mr. Herbert is here on a visit to his nephew, Mr. Herbert E. Buell, at his home, 507 North Blount street, and he has been given a warm welcome to Raleigh, its citizens being delighted to have so distinguished a gentleman as a visitor. In company with Col. Benehan Cameron, the president of the Farmers' National Congress, and Col. F. A. Olds, secretary of the chamber of commerce, Mr. Herbert yesterday visited the State corn contest and other agricultural products exhibit being arranged in the State Museum and expressed himself as being greatly delighted with the fine showing made.

It was hoped to have Mr. Herbert remain over to attend the sessions of the Farmers' National Congress and the State Literary and Historical Society, but he found it impossible to so arrange his plans, and he will leave today. Raleigh is delighted to have had him as a visitor for even so short a time.

TUBERCULOSIS CONVENTION.

Arrangements Under Way for Great Meeting in Greensboro.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 3.—Dr. John Roy Williams is leading the local workers in preparing for the annual tuberculosis convention and the holding of the Tuberculosis exhibition in this city the latter part of January. Associated in this preparation is the executive committee of the local anti-tuberculosis association, together with a special committee of arrangements. The Board of Aldermen and the County Commissioner will be asked to do what other Southern cities are doing in providing funds for this purpose. The Women's Club is also interested and will help in the general campaign.

Smith Memorial Hall, seating 1,200 to 1,400 people, wil be the place for the convention. The Programme Committee has arranged for Rev. Dr. Melton Clark to deliver the invocation. Governor Kitchin will be presented to the audience by the Hon. John A. Barringer. The address of welcome on behalf of Greensboro will be delivered by Hon. A. L. Brooks.

Flags and bunting at Gaylord's. **

TREATMENT OF PELLAGRA.

Government Officials Discuss New Disease—Next Meeting.

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 3.—"Pellagra as a National Public Health Problem" was the subject of a valuable address delivered by Assistant Surgeon General Kerr, of the United States Public Health and Marine Hospital service, who declared that the occurrence of the disease in this country involves problems that will require the most earnest investigation with the view to their solution. Dr. C. H. Lavinder, of the United States Public Health and Marine Hospital Service; Dr. J. W. Babcock, of the South Carolina State Hospital for the Insane, and Dr. C. F. Williams, State Health officer of South Carolina, as well as prominent physicians from Georgia, Lonisiana, Tennessee, Illinois, North Carolina and other States, gave to the conference the benefit of their experience in the treatment of pellagra.

An interesting feature of the conference was the presentation of several patients with well developed cases of the disease.

A smoker was tendered the visiting physicians tonight at Ridgewood Club. Five papers by eminent physicians of Yucatan, Kingston, Jamaica; Barbadoes, W. I.; Paris and Cairo, Egypt, were read tonight, Dr. Babcock concluding with an appreciation of Cesare Lombroso, the noted Italian scientist, who devoted more than 30 years to the study of pellagra in Italy, Roumania and other countries.

The conference will continue in session tomorrow. Peoria, Ill., and Columbia will ask for the next meeting. Tomorrow a permanent National Pellagra Association will be formed.

PRESIDENT ON GOLF.

Says It is Not Game of "Aristocratic Leaning."

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 3.—In one of his speeches here today the President sought to defend golf from the charge that it is a rich man's game. The President also told of the pleasure his trip has given him. He said:

"The game of golf I am not only fond of myself, but I am serious in thinking that its general spread through the country is real advance in the matter of hygiene and healthfulness and long life to men between 15 and 70. Now, I speak with some fervor on the game of golf, because during the last presidential election I was not without caution as to the effect of too great enthusiasm shown on my part in reference to the game.

It was supposed at that time and it was hearalded in the newspapers as being a game indicating aristocratic leaning and association with wealth, that was supposed to injure one in the standing of the 'plain people' as Lincoln called them. But I am hopeful now that the virtues of golf as a trainer of character and as a leveller instead of an exalter of people will be so well understood that in any future political campaign golf will figure rather as a reason for electing a candidate who is addicted to it than to defeat him."

The President declared that Birmingham and all the South surely would benefit greatly from the Panama canal, and promised that the American Navy would pass through the canal on the first of January 1915.

FARMERS' NATIONAL CONGRESS.

Secretary James Wilson Will be at Raleigh Meeting.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 3.—The Farmers' National Congress will convene on Thursday at 11 o'clock and the principal address of the day will be by the British Ambassador, James Bryce. There will also be an address by former Secretary of the Navy Hilary A. Herbert and a telegram tonight states that Secretary James Wilson will attend the Congress. Hundreds of delegates, some on special trains from the West, are already here. The first session was delayed a day so that the western delegates might have time to arrive, there having been trouble in securing rate tickets, the delegates finally using home-seekers tickets.

ABANDON COURT BUILDING.

In New York Following Report That Walls Might Collapse.

New York, Nov. 3.—Abandonment of the criminal court's building, a two million dollar structure only nine years old, was ordered by the police tonight, following a report by the superintendent of buildings that its walls might collapse. The structure is of stone and apparently substantial, but it was built before the days of steel reinforcement, and the excavations for the subway caused its foundations to sag.

The criminal court's building has been the scene of many famous trials, including the Thaw and Molineux cases.

A Scalded Boy's Shrieks. horrified his grandmother, Mrs. Maria Taylor, of Nebo, Ky., who writes that, when all thought he would die, Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured him. Infallible for burns, scalds, cuts, corns, wounds, bruises. Cures feversores, boils, skin eruptions, chilblains, chapped hands. Soon routs piles. 25c at R. R. Bellamy.

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Cash	1,[illegible]89,642 56
	$6,581,333 53

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$ 550,000 00
Surplus	344,247 35
U. S. bond account	100,000 00
Circulation	559,000 00
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Lieut. Vivtor Blue Promoted.

News and Observer: The Navy Department has assigned Lieutenant Commander Victor Blue to the gunboat Yorktown, an important command. For some time he has been executive officer of the North Carolina. Lieutenant Blue won fame and promotion by locating the Spanish fleet in Santiago Bay during the Spanish-American war.

Colored Fireman Attempts Crime.

Wadesboro Ansonian: Yesterday afternoon as the train used in laying the heavy rails on the S. A. L. road near Russelville, was waiting at ex-Sheriff Boggan's place, the colored fireman left his train and went to the cotton field, a few hundred yards away, and assaulted Julia Boyette, a 12-year-old colored girl. She has lived for sometime with Mr. Boggan's family and was picking cotton alone in the field. The fireman is alleged to have thrown her down and placed his cap in her mouth to prevent an alarm, but before he had accomplished his purpose, she attracted several colored men nearby. The brute ran to his train, which left at once.

Took Fright at Goat.

Washington News: Yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock, the horse Dooley, belonging to and driven by Miss Lillian Bonner, took fright at a goat wagon and ran, colliding with the iron post at the corner of Second and Bonner streets, throwing out Miss Bonner and Miss Mattie Laughinghouse who were on the front seat. Miss Maude Windley and Mis Annie Laughinghouse, who were on the rear seat, were not thrown out, but were dashed against the wheels as the surry turned half over. The vehicle was badly smashed and the hoarse broke away from it, continuing to run until stopped by some men further up the street. Miss Bonner was at first thought to be seriously hurt, and was taken to the Washington Hospital, but beyond shock and bruises is not injured. The balance of the party were not hurt beyond the shaking and fright.

Statistics of Ear of Corn.

Newbern Sun: Mr. Walter Bray, one of the most efficient and prosperous farmers of eastern North Carolina, who lives on Neuse Road, about a mile from the city limits, had on exhibition this morning at the office of Messrs. E. H. & J. A. Meadows, some of the largest and well grained ears of corn that has ever been seen in this city. The product was raised on his farm near Newbern and is a fair sample of his acreage. The ten ears he had on display totalled up 10,947 grains, the cob averaging about 12 inches in length. The smallest number of grains on one cob was 940, while the largest number of grains on a single cob was 1,210. It is a beautiful speciment of corn raising on the farm in the vicinity of Newbern and shows what valuable soil our farmers are possessed of, when they take the advantage of it and till the ground like our esteemed, efficient and experienced grower, Mr. Walter Bray.

NEWS OF SPRING HOPE.

Making Ready For Cotton Mill—Crops in Nash—Educational Affairs.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Spring Hope, Nov. 3.—At a recent meeting of the citizens of Spring Hope the following gentlemen were appointed to solicit subscriptions for the proposed cotton mill: A. F. May, J. W. Hinton, J. J. Sanders, C. B. Brantley, G. W. Joyner, J. C. Matthews, J. M. Sykes, B. E. Morgan, W. H. Taylor, and W. R. Griffin. The above are all first-class business men, and when they start about securing stock for a cotton mill there will be something doing. There is a site available, and plenty of water power at Tar River, just two miles away. Hundreds of bales of cotton are sold here each year. Conditions are ideal for cotton factory.

It has been the privilege of your correspondent to travel over Nash county quite a good deal recently, and he has been struck with the fact that the farmers are in clover this year. The crop has not been a bad one, harvesting conditions have been ideal and the prices—well everybody knows about them. For the last week many farmers have been busy getting in their sweet potato crop, and the yield of potatoes in Nash this year has been immense. This correspondent wishes to vote Edward Dillard, a prominent Nash county planter, who lives one mile from Spring Hope, the "Sweet Potato King." From 3 1-2 acres, after fencing off a little patch for his hogs, he has secured 1,000 bushels of potatoes. His success in raising potatoes is only equaled by his success in raising other crops. The Spring Hope Leader has offered a year's subscription to the Nash or Franklin county man, who beats Mr. Dillard's record with potatoes.

At least two petitions will be presented to the county commissioners at the next meeting asking for election for special school tax. R. E. Ransom, county superintendent, thinks there will be still others, since the citizens of several districts have intimated that hey are ready to vote the local tax.

Two young men, repreesnting the Dupont Powder Company, were near Spring Hope today showing a number of farmers how to get rid of stumps. Quite a good deal of interest was taken in the experiments.

The roller mill of J. L. Barbee, located on Tar river, two miles from Spring Hope, will begin operation next week. This mill takes the place of the old Webb will, known far and wide in this section.

Messrs. Phillips and Cappell, of the Home Telephone and Telegtaph Company, Henderson, as busy stretching a line from Spring Hope to the new town of Bunn, ten miles away.

TO CELEBRATE NEW BUILDING.

Raleigh to Feed and Felicitate Itself on Coming Progress.

(News and Observer.)

Yesterday afternoon there was a called meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce, at which President Hubert Royster presided. It was decided to invite the band of the Third Regiment and the choirs of the colleges to participate in a special religious service at the Academy of Music from 3:30 to 4:30 o'clock next Sunday afternoon, it being a custom of the Farmers' National Congress, which meets here Thursday, to attend such a service on Sunday at each session, the various ministers in the city co-operating.

An invitation was received from the citizens of Middlesex inviting the Farmers' National Congress and members of the Chamber of Commerce to attend the outing, barbecue and celebration of the second birthday of that place on Friday of this week.

President Royster presented the chamber with a large and handsomely colored motto, and this was accepted and ordered placed upon the walls. The motto, which is an inspiring one, is in these words: "The Noblest Motive is the Public Good."

Several important matters were discussed in a preliminary way. Vice-President R. W. Winston said the Chamber of Commerce by all manner of means should give a banquet on the occasion of the laying of the corner-stone of the Municipal Building and Auditorium and that men from all over the State should be invited. The suggestion met with instant and great favor, and on motion of Mr. Joseph G. Brown, President Royster and Vice-President Winston were named as members of a committee, the other members to be appointed by President Royster. The banquet will probably be given sometime in December. Director Charles E. Johnson, chairman of the Municipal Building Commission, said bids to do the work on the building were coming in, and that these will be opened December first at it is expected the contract will then be immediately let.

ALMOST AUTO-CREMATION.

Young Prisoners at Wadesboro Fire Jail at Own Peril.

(Wadesboro Ansonian.)

Two young white boys, John Probst and Charlie Sane, were placed in jail here yesterday in default of $250 bonds, charged with the burning of Lilesville guardhouse late Sunday night. They are both from the western part of the State and had been working at Jonas' mill in Lilesville township. Sunday evening they got drunk and were making lively scenes around Lilesville at a late hour Sunday night. About 10 o'clock they were arrested and placed in the guardhouse, so that the town's population could get a little sleep.

During the day, the Quarterly Conference had been in session at the Methodist church and the union meeting at the Baptist.

After midnight someone heard them calling for help and then it was found that the guardhouse was on fire. With much effort the young boys were rescued from the burning building, but not until one of them was severely burned about the hands. Taen the fire raged until Mr. J. A. McAllister's shop with almost all his tools was burned. The citizens managed to barely save the nearby stables and other buildings.

The boys were tried before Esquire A. J. Allen yesterday and the fine and cost amounted to about $13 each. They were bound over to court for burning the guardhouse and required to give bonds for $250 each or go to jail. Not having the cash or bondsmen ,they were compelled to choose the latter course.

The young men, when seen at the jail this morning, stated that they did not fire the building purposely, but were drunk. Dr. J. M. Covington, Jr., county physician, dressed the wounded hand.

MAY RENEW OLD BATLE.

Wets in Durham Want Aldermen to Grant Drug Store Licenses.

(Special to Charlotte Observer.)

Durham, Nov. 2.—The aldermen last night received a communication from the board of health relative to the issuing of license to the drug stores making application to sell whiskey.

The board of health decided that it had no duties in this matter; that the granting of privileges of this nature belonged essentially to the board of aldermen. They then ordered that the petition should be sent to the aldermen who read it last night and decided to defer it.

It is understood here that this matter will be fought out again, eevn as it was done last July a year ago. At that time three drug stores were selling whiskey when the board of aldermen shut the supply off altogether. There was displeasure among the prohibitionists who had stuck for drug store license, while many wet men at heart were glad to see a dry spell in Durham. It has been very dry since that time, and prohibitionists and wet men alike have agreed that the city may live without it. The present board is considered wetter than its predecessor and the petition apears to have a good working chance.

ARRESTED FOR GAMBLING.

Members of Theatrical Company Caught at Cards.

(Durham Sun.)

Last night officers were surprised to hear what sounded to them as a crowd of men gambling in one of the rooms of the Cocoran Hotel and investigating the matter further discovered and arrested six men for gambling. When they were surprised at their little game there was $12 in stakes on the table and the officers got this also. They were very open in the playing and did not try to hide the fact at all. The door and all the windows were open and they were in full view of any who perchanced to pass their room. When arrested they stated that they did not know it was against the laws of North Carolina to gamble. Bail in the sum of $15 each was furnished and when their cases were called this morning the defendants failed to put in an appearance. All of them being members of "The Servant in the House," theatrical company, it is supposed they left for the next place of engagement.

S.S.S. HEALS OLD SORES

Every old sore is an external symptom of a depraved or polluted condition of the blood. These festering places on the flesh are kept open and in a state of irritation because the circulation is continually discharging into them the impurities and morbid matters with which it is filled. This polluted condition of the blood may be the remains of some constitutional trouble; the effect of a long spell of sickness, which has left the blood stream weak and germ-infected, or because the natural refuse of the body, which should pass off through the proper avenues, has not all been eliminated and has been absorbed into the circulation. External treatment may cause the place to scab over temporarily, but the blood is not made any purer by such treatment, and soon the sore will return or break out at another place and be as bad or worse than before. S.S.S. heals old sores by removing every particle of impurity from the circulation. It goes down to the very bottom of the trouble and so completely changes the circulation that there is no longer any impurity to drain through the sore, but the place is once more nourished with rich, healthful blood. S.S.S. heals the sore from the bottom, the skin regains its natural color, and when S.S.S. has thoroughly cleansed and purified the blood the place is permanently healed. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice free to all who write.

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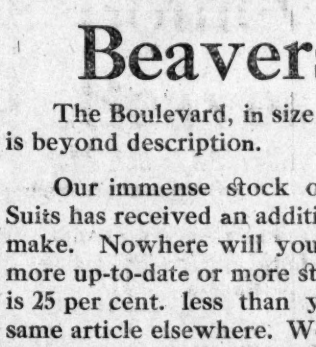

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Total Assets	$2,038,393.01

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WILMINGTON AND THE NORTH.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48. Daily.	No. 42. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington ..	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount..	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:41 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	*8:35 am
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington ..	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:02 am
Ar. W. Phila.....	3:45 am	12:23 pm
Ar. New York.....	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41. Daily.	No. 49. Daily.
Lv. New York.....	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. W. Phila	11:49 am	12:19 am
Lv. Baltimore	2:10 am	2:46 am
Lv. Washington ...	3:35 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk	3:20 pm	8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:10 pm	8:15 am
Lv. Petersburg ..	7:47 pm	9:13 am
Lv. Weldon	9:35 pm	11:35 am
Lv. Rocky Mount..	5:00 am	12:50 pm
Lv. Wilson	5:36 am	2:09 pm
Lv. Goldsboro	6:35 am	3:05 pm
Ar. Wilmington ...	9:25 am	6:00 pm

WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	51 Daily.	55 Daily.	Via Wilson 42 Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	4:55 am	3:10 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor..	9:05 am	7:25 pm	3:55 am
Ar. Colbia.	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Chars.	1:20 pm	11:25 pm	7:00 am
Ar. Savh .	6:30 pm	2:20 am	9:20 an
Ar. Jk'ville		7:15 am	1:50 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:00 pm	10:30 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	50 Daily.	54 Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville ..	8:50 am	7:45 pm
Lv. Savannah	1:05 pm	12:15 am
Lv. Charleston	5:25 pm	5:10 an
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 an
Lv. Florence	8:40 pm	9:25 am
Ar. Wilmington ...	12:40 am	1:35 pm

WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

Westbound. 53 Daily.		Eastbound. 52 Daily.
8:40 AM	Lv Wilmington Ar	8:05 PM
11:45 AM	Ar Fayetteville Lv	4:50 PM
12:10 PM	Lv Fayetteville Ar	4:45 PM
1:40 PM	Ar. Sanford Lv	3:30 PM

WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Northbound. 62	Daily except Sunday.	Southbound. 63
3:25 PM	Lv Wilmington Ar	12:50 PM
5:17 PM	Ar Jacksonville Lv	10:55 AM
6:44 PM	Ar N & S. Jct Lv	9:35 AM
6:50 PM	Ar Newbern Lv	9:30 AM

*Via Petersburg and N. and W. Ry.
**Daily Except Sunday.

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Trains 48 and 49 carry Pullman cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.

Trains No. 55 and 50 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.

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TRAINS ARRIVE AT WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

No. 44 at 12:30 A. M. from Johnson City, Charlotte, Hamlet and points North.

No. 40 arrives 1:15 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 36 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, No. 81 from New York and Washington, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

	No. 45.	No. 39.
Lv Wilm't'n	3:00 A.M.	3:20 P.M.
Ar Lumb'ton	5:30 A.M.	5:27 P.M.
Ar. Maxton	6:12 A.M.	6:35 P.M.
Ar. Hamlet	7:00 A.M.	7:30 P.M.
Lv. Hamlet	7:25 A.M.	8:15 P.M.
Ar. Monroe	9:26 A.M.	10:20 P.M.
Ar. Charlotte	10:25 A.M.	11:20 P.M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with Nos. 38 and 66 for all points North at Monroe with No. 59 for Atlanta and continues on through to Johnson City, arriving 8:05 P. M.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 37 for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York. No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect Thursday, September 30th 1909.

TO BEACH.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 6:50, 8:30, 10:00, and 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 7:10 and 8:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10 and 8:30 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Lumina at 7:45, 9:15, and 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:45, 5:15, 7:50 and 9:15 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Lumina at 9:45, 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:25, 6:50, 7:50, and 9:15 P. M.

TO WRIGHTSVILLE.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 6:20, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 5:25, 6:35, 8:00, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 9:55, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

TO DELGADO AND GOLF LINKS.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 3:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, *2:25, 3:00, *3:45, 4:30, *5:05, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, and 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at *8:25, 8:30, *9:05, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, *1:25, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, and 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Golf Links at 6:35, 8:10, 8:40, 9:40, 11:10 A. M. 12:40, 2:10, *2:35, 4:10, *5:15, 5:40, 6:40, 8:15, 9:40 10:45 and 11:45 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Golf Links at *8:35, *9:15, 10:10, 11:10 A. M., *12:15, 12:40, *1:35, 2:10, 3:40, 4:10, 12:40, 2:10, *2:35, *3:55, 4:10, 5:15, 5:40, 6:40, 8:15, 9:40, 10:45 and 11:45 P. M.

*"Carolina" all others snown in this schedule marked "Beach."

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Lv. Petersburg	10:35 a.m.	10:20 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:30 p.m.	2:13 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	7:20 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	7:45 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	7:28 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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GLENN AS A FUSIONIST.

Reprinting a recent Star editorial endorsing the movement inaugurated by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union to make the Hon. Robert Broadnax Glenn the next Prohibition candidate for the Presidency, the Wadesboro Ansonian fires the following comment:

"Glenn has had nearly everything he could want in the State and thus far in his brilliant career, he has not known defeat. A man that has gone forward so often into the thick of the fight, as has the ex-Governor, may expect some sarcastic remarks occasionally; it's but the price of phenomenal success. Those anxious for the Prohibition party to lose, as it has heretofore, had better keep busy lest Glenn is nominated. Just suppose the Democrats should nominate him and the Prohibitionists endorse the ticket, wouldn't there be some excitement in the camp?"

Our friend has a verdant imagination. We have prohibition in this State, but it is still an open question, at the least, whether the prohibitionists have or have not swallowed the party. We are inclined to the belief that the election which fixed a State policy in that respect was a non-partisan election. Certainly we seem to remember that some of the strongest advocates of prohibition were Republicans—notably Circuit Judge Pritchard, who descended from the bench to join in what looked like a political campaign, on the sole ground (as we understand it) that the movement was "moral" and not "political". Apart from a natural tendency not to disassociate the name and the action of Pritchard from politics, we conclude that the Democracy is not yet ready to resign the fragments of its ancient principles, left over from the Bryan campaigns, in favor of what is necessarily a half baked and conglomerate mass of individuals of varying opinion, with one fixed idea that, however worthy in itself, is of little hope in national economy. Governor Glenn, to speak with all frankness and kindliness of spirit, seems to have concluded that politics is not worth the candle. He has played the game long enough to have experience of its limitations. He has ceased to be a politician and become an evangelist. That being so, we suggested that it would be a fine thing were he made ex-officio and during life tenure the candidate of the Prohibition party. Thus engaged, he would give a life and verve to the movement that we do not think it could find elsewhere. As for his being the fusion candidate of the Democratic and the Prohibition parties, the Ansonian is either indulging in a peculiarly personal brand of quiet irony, or it is experiencing a day-dream of most saffron hue, even to imagine such a contingency.

The best that the Hon. Robert B. Glenn can hope for, upon his present line of endeavor, is to add to the merriment of nations at the price of a comfortable living for himself. In this effort—worthy if not entirely exalted—he has our best wishes and our abiding interest.

The fact that Judge Gaynor was elected, while other members of the Tammany ticket suffered defeat, ought to afford a good lesson to the stripe of politicians that thinks successful campaigns are dependent upon abuse of opposing candidates. The man most villified won by a handsome majority; those on the same ticket, against whom no charges were made, were defeated. As indicating public revolt from obscene campaign methods, the outcome has a peculiarly refreshing quality.

A Danville (Va.) dispatch of Nov. 1, to the Washington Past, says: "An aeroplane which appeared to be making good time passed over this city at about 8 o'clock last night. The machine was traveling southwest, and owing to the darkness, it was not identified." Evidently, on the eve of election, the citizens of Danville were "seeing things at night." As is usual in such instances, the visions of the night before failed to materialize in the morning.

Breathitt county, Kentucky, furnishes another tragedy entitled: "Killed at the Polls." We look for the football experts among the exchanges to start a clamor to "change the rules" governing elections.

THE CHARGE OF THE FIVE HUNDRED.

An emanation of courage comes from the touch of elbows. Enthusiasm breeds on company. Gregarious man is brave in the society of his fellows. In that delightful sense of all things possible that permeates a gathering with a common purpose, confidence flaps its wings and screams aloud. In the consciousness of the fellowship of the brave who are all friends together, more revolutions have been wrought, more battles won, more tyrants, injustice and wrong wiped off the face of the earth than, in fact, have ever happened, been fought, existed or oppressed. High courage lights the convivial board; great deeds lurk in the bottle; momentous projects occur in the dingy halls of town meetings. We do not say that it is not well that this is so. Mediocrity must occasionally rise on its hind legs and bray defiance. Weakness must vaunt itself on occasion in order to survive. Quixoticism must paint the glowing crusade of romance, in order that light shall live in dull lives, and high ambition gain the germ of life from impotent forebears.

So much didaticism is suggested by the recent after-clap meeting in Mississippi to the Presidential and Congressional junket down the "Father of Waters." The "Waterways Commission," like other commissions, took in the wine and the oratory, waxing cheerful or sedate as the case might be; they paid for their cheer in the usual coin of statesmen-like platitude; they cast wise eyes and nodded Jove-like brows over moot points that they would never think of again. It even appears that they asked questions that could not, by the widest stretch of courtesy, be considered other than "fool." And after they had been fed, after they had departed, after they had left their advice behind them in quantity sufficient to complete the filling up of the river, the people along the section most interested met together and took counsel as to what had been the result. They concluded, as they might have had the foresight to conclude in advance, that it had been nil. They had made some good speeches, and heard some poor ones. They had given themselves indigestion and headache, in vain effort to accomplish similar results on champions inured by long practice to such gustatory and convivial hardships. The grand and glorious Mississippi still flowed sluggishly between its dilapidated levees, while long-legged herons promenaded gravely in the ligat of a cheerless next morning on sand-bars born over night. The Waterways Convention, in session at New Orleans, looked this situation in the face, for a while, in despair: Then arose the Clarion Voice inseparable from such occasions, referred to above. In this instance, it was the possession of ex-Governor David R. Francis, of Mississippi. We are informed by the official reports that said Voice—in character with such times and events—was at first "tense with suppressed feeling." It rapidly recovered. At the end it was soaring on the wings of deep emotion. It said, among other things:

"In one thing at least, I agree with President Taft, and that is the time for speeches has passed.

"The way to dig this canal is to dig it. And the people who must dig it are the Federal officers. The Mississippi river is under the control of the Federal Government. We of the States cannot improve it if we would.

"I want to say to you that I am sick and tired of delays and excuses. On the trip down the river, I listened to questions innumerable as to the feasibility and practicability of the fourteen-foot plan. The plan has been declared practicable and feasible by a board composed largely of army engineers. All we need is the money. The Federal Government must provide that and the Federal Government will, if we make them."

Can't you hear them cheer! Make it! Take it! Get it—if we have to wring it out of the very crop of a gorged treasury!

And when, in response to a motion, it was declared the sense of the meeting that five hundred lobbyists be sent to Washington to strangle justice out of Congress, we know well that the result of the ballot was lost in the thunder of acclaim!

We hope that the Mississippi will come in for its ample share of deep waterway improvement, but we shudder to think of the fate of this charge of the five hundred up Capitol Hill. It is easy to choke Congress in convention at New Orleans. It is fine to dig the old thing at once, and dig the money out of the Government, even if it takes a half Nelson to do it. But there will be a different feeling in the morning, when to the enthusiastic charge of the five hundred is opposed the old, perfected, intricate and baffling Washington system. How they will be gently hoisted and shoved—from floor to gallery, through the mazes of cloak-room and committee, into and out of hotels, up the hill and back again! How they will wear themselves out in vain effort against the inevitable, until by slow attrition, by infinite laying on of hands in gentle flattery, the Congress shall have finally shooed them out of doors, leaving, perhaps, some solitary freak behind as an addition to the Capitol's gallery of curios!

The way to get waterways is neither by junket nor indignation meeting. It is by Congressional team-play. It is by impressing upon your representative that he must forget something of the politics he thinks he knows in the interest of what you know you need. It is by showing the Congressman that he must be on his job, and must study his subject more and mouth about it less. The people have no time and no business to lobby. Their work ought to be done through the men they send to Washington to represent them. If we get words, and speeches, and nothing else, let us look to our representatives. They are, or ought to be, "on the job." We do not know the game, and it is worse than folly to try to play it against those who do.

We wish luck to the five hundred—but we see their finish.

GOMPERS NEXT?

Of all citizens Messrs. Gompers, Morrison, and Mitchell may view with most alarm the recent contempt decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of Sheriff Shipp.

If the highest court in the land decides that it is reasonable to punish for contempt a sheriff who does not fight to the death a mob that takes from his protection a criminal in whom the Supreme Court has become interested, what are the chances on appeal of respondents to the attachment of a lower branch of the Federal judiciary, who admittedly violated the express injunction of the court?

The Supreme Court of the United States has, in the Shipp case, shown itself to be absolutely independent of what it knew was certain to be the concensus of opinion of the great body of American citizens. What will be the measure of influence, therefore, of violators of express command of the courts by virtue of their supposed leadership of two million American labor unionists?

Mr. Gompers' expressions indicate that he is not averse to going to jail as a protest for the maintenance of what he conceived to be his "constitutional rights." It is well that he thinks in this cheery vein of martyrhood; for the Supreme Court, from all appearances, had as soon tender such a martyrdom to any one desiring it, as not.

Since the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia has affirmed the attachment for contempt against these three prominent labor leaders, we hope that their case will not be confused with the Shipp case, recently definitely decided by the Supreme Court of the United States. Shipp and his co-respondents, if they in fact violated the orders and flaunted the authority of the Supreme Court, were backed by a reasonable plea of ignorance, ineffective perhaps, but at the same time entitling them to public consideration. Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison, on the other hand, undertook, with open eyes and in the face of express judicial prohibition, to ignore a clear-cut injunction of the Federal Court. In fact, they boasted publicly of doing so, and attempted, and are still attempting, to justify their action, on the ground that the injunction was illegal. They have deliberately constituted themselves judges of the law in the stead of the learned men duly placed in such positions. They deliberately did that which it is the policy of this paper to condemn and decry in whatsoever form it shows itself, to set themselves above the law, and to declare that it should not affect their desires or their conduct. Whether they are right or wrong as to their view of the law is immaterial upon the question of whether they were right or wrong in their defiance of it, as it was declared by the court to be. In setting at naught the law as it related to themselves, on the assumption that the law was not good, they took the first steps toward anarchy. Having done so, it is to the interest of the country, without reference to sympathy for either party, that they should be punished at once for a misdemeanor, rather than that they should be permitted to further excite others to be in line for punishment for graver and more dangerous felony.

Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison undertook, in defiance of Federal injunction, to continue to publish in the interest of a boycott the Bucks Range Company, manufacturers of stoves, who had had a minor dispute with an insignificant branch of organized labor. As the heads of the American Federation of Labor, they thereby undertook to place in defiance two million workmen throughout the country. The plea that is now advanced, that they represent this immense number of powerful men and should therefore be immune from punishment, is nothing less than attempted intimidation of the courts, in addition to the original contempt. What these three might foolishly do of themselves is significant; what they do as the recognized leaders of such a force and influence is packed with the greatest consequence. When the Supreme Court speaks in their case, however, it will deliver itself upon the law and the facts. All the forces of organized labor will be but as mists to be brushed aside from the controversy to the end of the clearer vision of that high and deliberate body. When it finally speaks, the respondents will be free to go about their business, or they will be compelled to go to jail. There will be no heroics, either way. The country is too big to do less than justice by Gompers; it is also too big to have him and his followers imperil the principle of justice in their own interest.

END THE BUTLER-ADAMS "LIBEL"

It will be pleasant reading to the people of the State generally to know that the two Butlers, Marion and Lester, have been granted a new trial by the Supreme Court of North Carolina, in the case for criminal libel brought against them by Spencer B. Adams.

Of course, as citizens, or near-citizens, of the State, these worthies had the right to go to the courts in a criminal proceeding to adjudicate the quality of mud flung in political controversy. Adams may or may not have been technically libeled by Butler. The latter, however, merely repeated a charge that many others had brought. And, certainly, whatever Butler may have said about Adams could not have of itself hurt or helped the latter's reputation in North Carolina. That is something that is fixed for so long a time as Adams continues by virtue of having a finger in the distribution of Federal patronage to remain in the public eye. After that, Adams will be forgotten with relief and banished to the realm of vague memories in which today the princes of reconstruction hold their tenuous places.

There was nothing for the court to do to try the case, and possibly Butler should have been fined something upon the verdict of guilty, for the trouble he had made; but the whole proceeding did not look dignified, and it did not have a pleasant odor. We hope the decision of the higher court means that the new Solicitor of the Fifth District will not be called upon to prostitute his talents in the continuation of so fruitless a prosecution.

UNITY OF INTEREST.

At Columbus, Miss., President Taft used this pleasing expression:

"It is not that we want to make you Republicans, or that we want to become Democrats. We all have our views and our tastes in that regard. It is that you shall come to believe that you are as near to the heart of the central government as now administered as any other people in the Union."

The words, "as now administered," shut off what might otherwise be pertinent, if not necessary, comment. The President doubtless spoke with deliberation and advisedly. That being true, the South will await with interest the concrete results of the pleasant visit of a very pleasant-spoken man.

The broader-minded men of the South, it may be mentioned, have come to believe that the central government is as near to their hearts as to those of the people of any other section. That it has not seemed so to all the South is due largely to the fact that the central government has not heretofore been administered in the spirit which President Taft now claims for it, and in smaller, but still perceptible degree, to that element among us which out of political disappointment has cherished sectional bitterness and thus to a degree made reasonable and excusable a like injustice toward ourselves on the part of our neighbors to the North.

Samuel Gompers takes another step toward the immortal roll of "martyrs". If he is not careful, his steps for some time will be of the lock stitch variety.

Roosevelt's cousin thrashed his man. If you think of it, this was a more thriling exploit than that of his distinguished relative in killing that lion. But the cousin never got a dollar a punch, much less a dollar a word for his talk after the event.

After daily columns about the "Great State Fair," at Raleigh, we are not surprised to see the Columbia papers talking of the "Greater State Fair," of South Carolina. We wonder what will happen when the ultimate superlative shall at length be reached.

Here comes the News and Observer: "New York City is Democratic in spite of the world, the flesh, the devil and William also-Ran-dolph Hearst." It does seem that there is a something a shade ungracious in this unseemly pun in his hour of misery at the expense of one so recently the punster's noble friend and brother!

Stephen Phillips, England's ornate poetic dramatist, is before a bankruptcy court, with liabilities put at $15,000. This recalls the remark made by a wealthy patron of the arts when called upon to assist Goldsmith, upon the information that the latter owed 1,000 pounds. Instead of concern, the dillitante threw up his hands and exclaimed delightedly: "Was ever poet so trusted?"

CURRENT COMMENT.

It is altogether an uncomfortable reflection that often a man's acquittal by a jury is regarded by the public as presumptive evidence of his guilt.—Greensboro News.

The Washington Star says: "Making a newspaper is an easy trick. Anybody can do it." Of course. If you don't believe it, ask anybody and he'll tell you how.—Columbia State.

A number of newspapers have criticized Mr. Taft for making "politics" plural, and saying "politics are." There is a sense, of course, when it is correct to use politics in the plural, when, for instance, we refer to more than one system or kind of politics, as the politics of England and of the United States. We note, however, a New York contemporary saying that "Mr. Taft has traversed the Mississippi from St. Louis to New Orleans." If the President had "traversed" that river he would have landed pretty shortly upon the Illinois bank.—Columbia State.

The death of Cadet Eugene A. Bryne, injured in the Army-Navy football game, may be expected to cause hysterical people to utter loud protests against football. Bryne was injured Saturday in the game between West Point and Annapolis, his neck being broken. He was a fourth-year man at the Academy and was a son of a civil war veteran. Football is probably too rough a sport, and its friends admit that the game needs modifying. Accidents in it, however, are no more numerous than in other sports, nor are the dangers any greater than in baseball. Football players are well muscled and trained to endurance before they line up for scrimmages; what to an onlooker seems rough, to them is nothing. The chances of being hit by a batted ball or "released" bat are greater than the chances of a serious injury in a football game. There is nothing said, however, when a baseball player is killed, but something is always said after a fatal accident to a football player.—Winston Journal.

"A Servant in the House" was a fine play last evening at the Academy of Music. The citizens of Durham were glad to see it played, even if it is not a reality in many households in this city. In the South "a servant in the house" is a subject of vital importance. It is a problem, and has been for some years. The colored help we have is growing more and more unreliable—in that a great number of them will work by spells, and leave without a moment's warning. Of course, there are exceptions, and the faithful ones are the best help we can get. The proverbial actions of colored cooks, in this day and time, are, to a large extent, breaking up the warm and hearty hospitality of this section. It frequently happens that when company is invited to a household, the house-wife has to go to the kitchen and do the work herself, and loving husbands object to this duty being imposed upon their wives, hence hospitality is being curtailed from this cause. What the labor in the house will be in the future, we cannot say, but it is now a serious matter, and there seems to be no present remedy—unless there is a reform among the colored women who pose as cooks, and work for a few days and then quit. There must be more stability among them before a better state of affairs exists.—Durham Sun.

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Ladies' 50c Hats.....25c
$1.50 34x68-inch. Smyrna Rugs, this sale.....98c
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Progress seems to be the dominant idea of the times; new discoveries, new triumphs of science; new wonders all along the line. But when you come to clothes—and we all have to come to clothes, every day, and probably will for a good many years—when you come to clothes you'd better come here and get into a

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PLANS COMPLETE

Central Committee Announces Detaiis of Mr. Taft's Entertainment Here.

THOSE IN SEVERAL PARTIES

Revenue Cutter Trip Down the River. Luncheon in Masonic Temple. Other Features of the Day With Mr. Taft.

The Central Committee of the Taft entertainment has been meeting almost daily for the past week or ten days and will meet every day at 12 o'clock from now until the 9th of November. The day's plans in detail have not been published on account of the difficulty in arranging for the separate functions of the day and it was not thought well to publish the details until it was felt there would be no further changes. The plans as decided upon at present are as follows:

The President will be met at his car at the A. C. L. depot at 8:15 A. M. by the Governor and the Executive Committee, of which Mayor MacRae is chairman. The President and party, with the Governor and Executive Committee, as has been announced, will be entertained by Mr. James Sprunt at breakfast. The entire party will proceed in automobiles to Mr. Sprunt's residence by the route that has already been published. The breakfast will be at 8:30 and will be finished in time to board the steamer Seminole at 9:30. It is expected that all who compose the number on the Seminole will be on board by 9:10 A. M. It should be remembered that the number who can be admitted to the steamer is positively limited by the Treasury Department to not exceeding 100 persons, including the President's party of 20. It will be seen from this that the committee must be very much embarrassed in selecting the number for this trip. Those who will accompany the President down the river will be the following:

President and party; Executive Committee of Taft entertainment; Board of Aldermen; Chairmen of subcommittees of Taft entertainment; Governor and staff; Governor's council; Lieutenant Governor; Visiting Senators, Congressmen and Judges; Mayor of Southport; President and Vice President of A. C. L.; Mr. Duncan and Mr. Fetter, of S. A. L.; Postmaster Wallace; Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage; President and General Manager of the Tidewater Power Co. Mr. James H. Cowan, Mr. R. L. Gray, Mr. Z. P. Smith, Mr. H. G. Smallbones; Gen. James I. Metts., Col. Harry Skinner, Col. A. M. Waddell, Mr. M. G. Tiencken, Mr. Jesse Wilder, Hon. J. H. Cassidy, of the Rivers and Harbors Committee; Mr. R. A. Parsley; Hon. A. M. Scales, Mr. L. Bluethenthal, Mr. Wm. Gilchrist, Mr. M. W. Jacobi, Mr. H. W. Malloy, Maj. E. J. Hale, Dr. C. H. Gardner, Capt. D. P. Foley, and the following guests of the Collector of the Port: Messrs. D. A. Tompkins, Geo. E. Butler, C. O. Byerly, Louis Goodman and A. H. Slocumb.

Lunch will be served on the Seminole at 1 o'clock and the return to the city will be made so that the steamer will be at her dock not later than 2:30.

Upon disembarking from the steamer the military parade will take place.

In this parade the Presidential party will be in carriages and one member of the Executive Committee will be in each carriage with certain members of the President's party. The military will act as escort for the President and it is expected that this will be the most imposing feature of the day's ceremonies and its success will be due entirely to the untiring efforts of Col. J. VanB. Metts.

The parade will proceed over the route that has already been published ending at the City Hall where the President's address will be delivered. At the conclusion of the address he will proceed in an automobile to St. Stephens' Church where he will deliver another short address. At the end of this address the party will be taken for a ride of about half an hour over the city and other points over good roads in the vicinity. This ride will conclude at the point where a public reception will be held. This as now determined upon will be the Masonic Temple.

There seems to be some impression that at this point there will be considerable trouble in handling the crowd. The committee has given this matter very serious consideration and if the plan as mapped out is carried out there should be no trouble at all.

It is a physical impossibility for the President to greet more than a certain number of people whether the reception be held in one place or another. In fact a reception of this kind has in a number of cases been cut short on account of the inability of the President to continue shaking hands for a great length of time and the time which has been given to this has been limited to three-quarters of an hour. The arrangements in the Masonic Temple are admirable for handling a crowd if it is done systematically.

The large rooms in the building can comfortably hold 300 or 400 people without crowding. The plan as outlined by the committee is that during the President's automobile ride probably 150 people will be admitted to the reception and reading room. When the President arrives at the Masonic Temple he and his party will be taken by the large exit door of the Commandery room to the position he will occupy while receiving the people. The doors will then be opened and those who have already been admitted to the building will be introduced to the President and the elevator will at once commence bringing up additional persons. Of course it is understood at any Presidential reception the crowd must move rapidly and officers will be stationed so as to move the crowd in the proper direction to the staircase. Those who enter the building will all be taken up by elevator and those coming down will come down the staircase so that there will be no undue crowding. The elevator in this building is one of the best in the city and can take at least 300 people to the reception every half hour. In this way possibly 900 people can be admitted to the reception and it will be impossible under any circumstances or at a reception at any other place for a larger number than this to shake hands with the President. Under these arrangements there will not be in the rooms more than 200 or 300 people at any one time and this would not cause any confusion or congestion.

After the reception is over a supper will be given the President in the ball room of the Masonic Temple. At this supper there will be the President's party, the Governor and a few out-of-town distinguished persons, such as the Senators and Congressmen who will be in Wilmington, and the following prominent and representative citizens: Junius Davis, E. S. Martin, B. F. Keith, T. M. Emerson, A. M. Waddell, Geo. Rountree, Jas. H. Cowan, R. L. Gray, Capt. E. I. Brown, Hugh MacRae, Iredell Meares, Jno. D. Bellamy, C. W. Worth, Rev. A. D. McClure, J. A. Springer, Jas. Sprunt, H. C. McQueen.

At the conclusion of the supper the President's party will be conveyed to the depot and he will leave Wilmington by special train. At night the smoker which has been arranged for the visiting newspaper representatives, will be given in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

The names of those who will occupy seats on the platform with Mr. Taft on the occasion of his public address will be announced later.

WILMINGTON'S TAFT TRIP.

Steamer Will Participate in Marine Parade—Public Invited.

Capt. Harper, of the steamer Wilmington, has made arrangement for his handsome boat to participate in the marine parade on Taft Day and extends an invitation to the public to take advantage of the special trip down the river with the revenue cutter Seminole and other harbor boats.

The boat will be elaborately decorated for the event and will present a handsome appearance. Passage on the Wilmington will likely be in demand and in order to make arrangements for the trip in advance the Central Committee has requested Capt. Harper to distribute tickets for the trip, which have been placed with Capt. W. H. Northrop, Jr., who has a limited number only. These will be distributed to a limited number at 75 cents each.

The Wilmington will remain at Southport the night prior to the Taft visit to bring the school children and others from that place up to Wilmington early the next morning. She will then proceed down the river in the marine parade. Tickets may be secured from Capt. Northrop; also at the wharf at the foot of Market street.

"GROWN UP IN A NIGHT."

Countryman Who Woke Up and Found the Pine Decorations on Street.

It was in the grey dawn of yesterday morning that a gentleman from the up-country who had tarried rather late at the wine cup the night before, emerged from a lodging house near Front and Princess streets and gazed out on the work of the Taft decorating committee over night.

He rubbed his eyes thrice, braced himself for another look, then accosted a citizen:

"Say, my friend", he quoth; "I may be all right and I may not be. I'll admit I was pretty full when I went to bed upstairs last night and I'm still about two-thirds drunk, but I'll be durned if I ever saw a pine thicket grow up over night before. What time is it and how long have I been asleep?"

Thus delivering himself he tacked up street, still bewildered, still unable to understand whether all that old story about Rip Van Winkle was truth or fiction.

A CREW OF CHINAMEN.

Maria Rickmers Clears for Savannah. Belgian Steamer Here.

The German steamer Maria Rickmers, after discharging cargo of fertilizer constituents cleared yesterday for foreign export. The Rickmers carries a crew of 29 Chinamen and the vessel had to be inspected by customs authorities before she cleared from the port to see that none of the foreigners were left.

The Belgian steamer Iris, the first flying the flag of this Nation to visit the port this year, arrived yesterday from Antwerp to receive cargo of naval stores from the American Naval Stores Company. This is the first vessel to receive naval stores at the port this year for foreign export. The Iris visited this port last year and her captain, Emile Therier, is well known here.

DON'T FAVOR SUFFRAGE.

No Such Action Taken by Woman's Home Mission Society.

In order to correct an erroneous impression made by press dispatches of the recent meeting of the Woman's Board of Home Missions of the M. E. Church, South, at Savannah, Ga., the following statement of the general secretary is published at the request of local societies:

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 29.—Mrs. R. W. MacDonell, general secretary of the Woman's Board of Home Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, today asserted that the woman's board, which recently met in Savannah, Ga., was misrepresented in the statement that it had declared in favor of woman's suffrage. Mrs. MacDonell states that the board not only did not take such action, but not one word was uttered on the subject during the session.

Skeleton Found at Post.

An anonymous correspondent at Fort Caswell says that on Monday, while a party of United States soldiers were digging holes for telephone poles on the reservation they were horror stricken to find a human skeleton buried about 18 inches under ground. The skeleton was that of a man probably 40 years old and had been buried for about five years. It was turned over to the post surgeon. Some think foul play is indicated, but no action, so far as is known, has been taken.

PLEASURE IN EATING
is greatly increased when use is made
of
SAUER'S FLAVORING EXTRACTS

THE AWARDS ARE ANNOUNCED

The Water and Sewerage Commission Yesterday Let the Contracts for Machinery and Water Tower for Over $33,000.

Acting favorably upon the recommendations of Col. W. F. Robertson, superintendent, and Messrs. Hazelhurst & Anderson, consulting engineers, the Water and Sewerage Commission yesterday morning awarded the contracts for furnishing and erecting practically all of the machinery and a water tower needed in the rebuilding and rehabilitation of the waterworks plant. The contracts aggregate $33,291.50.

A four million-gallon capacity high-duty pumping engine was purchased, the contract going to the Henry R. Worthington Co., of New York, for $16,000. This was the largest single contract. While the bid of the company appeared upon the surface to be a little higher than some others submitted, it was found upon a thorough investigation of every phase of the bids that the Worthington engine will really be supplied at a lower figure. This engine has a generative capacity of 135,000,000 foot pounds, which is 7,000,000 foot pounds more than any other engine offered. The life of the engine is assumed to be 25 years and it is stated that each million foot pounds will do a combined duty worth practically $600. It is estimated that this engine will save $4,200 worth of coal in 25 years. It is said that the foundations will require less material than any other engine offered and that there are other important savings. The Worthington engine is said to be one of the best, if not the best, on the market.

Babcock & Wilcox Company, of Atlanta, Ga., secured the contract for the boilers, feed pump and heater for $7,632. The excellence of the products of this concern is recognized everywhere. The Tidewater Power Company is using boilers manufactured by this concern and they give eminent satisfaction. The products of the other firms to which contracts were awarded are equally as well known and the materials used are of the best.

The other awards were as follows: Whitted & White Co., Charlotte, N. C., centrifugal pump and engine, for $1,592; Alexander & Garsed, Charlotte, N. C., electric light engine and generator, for $777.50; R. D. Cole Mfg. Co., Newland, Ga., water tower for $7,290. The Cole company makes no charge for taking down the old stand-pipe.

Under the terms of the contracts five months are allowed for the delivery of the machinery and water-tower.

The bids were opened Monday at noon and since then the superintendent and engineers and the members of the Commission have gone over every phase of the bids in a thorough manner and they believe that they have secured the very best contracts possible for high grade machinery. They state that no better machinery is manufactured than that purchased for the waterworks plant. The representatives of the firms submitting bids were yesterday entertained by the members of the Commission, Col. Robertson and Messrs. Hazelhurst & Anderson. Some were taken for a ride over New Hanover's fine roads while others were shown points of interest about the city. The visitors expressed themselves as being most favorably impressed with Wilmington and declared that they would not object to a permanent residence here.

RESIDENCES MUST DECORATE.

Circulars Calling Atention to This Feature of Taft Day.

It is believed by those in charge of these departments of arrangements that residents along the route of the parade on President's Day, next Tuesday, do not appreciate the propriety and importance of decorating their homes and premises for that occasion. The down town sections will be ablaze with flags and bunting and it is hoped to keep the continuity all along the route. Wilmington has been known as a city of beautiful homes, and residents should certainly meet the committee more than half way in seeing to it that this opinion will not have to be revised after the celebration.

Yesterday Col. J. VanB. Metts, of the Parade and Escort Committee in order to give better effect to the pageant, had a copy of a circular placed in each home along the line of march urging the owner or occupant to see that the houses were decorated. It is very important that this matter be attended to. Once it starts, the contagion will multiply and Now is the time for all good men" and ladies, too, for that matter, to come to the aid of the city.

GREENVILLE SOUND FIGHT.

One Defendant Found Guilty and the Other Discharged.

The cases growing out of a free for-all fight on Greenville Sound, late Saturday afternoon, have been disposed of in Justice George Harriss' court, to which they were removed from Justice Bornemann's court. George H. Rogers was found guilty of an assault upon James Fales and not guilty of an assault on Mrs. Fales. He was taxed with the costs. Ramsey Carter, who was indicted for a simple assault on Mrs. Fales and an assault with a deadly weapon upon Mr. Fales, was found not guilty in both cases. It was brought out in the testimony that Mrs. Fales struck Mr. Rogers in the head with a hatchet, inflicting a painful wound. A charge of assault with deadly weapon may be brought against her.

Olive Oil Agency Established.

Mr. Vafiadi, American agent of the famous Sultana Olive Oil here, has arranged to have this oil distributed in the future in Wilmington by Hall's drug store, Fifth and Castle streets. The oil is attractively put up in pints at 50c and quarts at $1.00. Phone orders are promptly filled.

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NAVIGATION AND PILOTAGE

Regular Monthly Meeting Yesterday Number of Important Affairs to Port Considered—Pilot Morse Recommended.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage was held yesterday with the following present: Chairman James Sprunt, Commissioners H. W. Malloy, J. W. Harper, M. C. Guthrie and Richard Dosher, and Clerk L. Brown McKoy.

A petition signed by nine pilots was read, asking that the cruising grounds be further extended "south from Cape Romain light bearing north and Cape Lookout lightship"; but the Commissioners having already extended the cruising ground under date of August 4th, 1909, of which publication was duly made, and the number of signatures to the petition referred to, being in their opinion inadequate to justify the discussion of so important a question, this matter was laid upon the table.

The matter of a complaint signed by Clyde Newton and Frank St. George, was next taken up by the board. A full investigation of the facts of the case proved that the boats referred to in the complaint did not carry passengers for hire; and it is not the desire of the Commissioners to object to the owners of pilot boats using them for their own pleasure and that of their invited guests, provided, of course, there is no compensation asked or received for such service, and provided further, that they are not used in competition with other boats which engage regularly in carrying passengers. The complaint was accordingly dismissed.

Report of soundings for October was read and approved, the report being as follows:

From sea buoy to buoy No. 1, least 28 ft. 8 in.; greatest 30 ft.

From buoy No. 1 to buoy No. 3, least 30 feet; greatest 33 feet.

From buoy No. 3 to buoy No. 2, least 31 feet; greatest 32 feet.

From buoy No. 2 to buoy No. 4, least 29 feet; greatest 31 feet.

From buoy No. 4 to buoy No. 4 1-2, least 28 feet 6 inches; greatest 36 feet.

Pilot J. L. Pinner, who was one of the pilots appointed to take the October soundings, failed to sign the report and the clerk was requested to communicate with him in reference to the matter and to report at the next meeting of the board.

The report of the quarterly soundings committee, exhibited in a very interesting chart, by the pilots appointed for that service, met with the cordial approval of the board and will be found useful to navigators, with reference to the present condition of the river channel. Special attention was called to the shoal at Snow's Marsh, which is now receiving the attention of the government officials. The attention of the Commisioners was also particularly directed to the fact that Orton Cove has been shoaling for some time past. Only last week a steamer coming up the river, light, is reported to have grounded in the channel there, and it was stated that even the tug boat Sea Kirt feels the suction of the shoal water in that vicinity. Several years ago this board recommended a direct cut from Lilliput to Midnight Shoal, which was intended to overcome the constant silting of mud into Orton Cove. This plan, it was stated, received the approval of Major Lucas, the officer then in charge of the river work, but has never been carried out. The board of Commissioners is more than ever impressed with the importance of a straight channel at this point on the river, especially as the course would be shorter and the bottom more reliable.

Correspondence was read which has passed between the Chairman and Commander Hetherington, of the 6th Lighthouse District at Charleston, on the subject of ranges, lights and buoys, and the board is assured that Commander Hetherington is doing all in his power to have the necessary changes and improvements effected with the least possible delay.

There was also read before the board correspondence which has passed between the Chairman and Mr. George W. Kidder, regarding the latter's complaint that the river work of the U. S. Engineers has seriously damaged his property on the water front by depositing in that vicinity sand and mud from the dredges. The board approved of the chairman's letter to Mr. Kidder under date of October 29th, and is desirous of giving to Mr. Kidder such aid as is in its power in having the matter satisfactorily adjusted.

Pilot M. T. Craig was heard by the Commissioners in answer to a complaint of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company that he had detained unnecessarily at Southport, over night, one of their steamers, the Maria Rickmers, which the complainants stated caused a delay of 24 hours in beginning the discharge of the cargo of this ship at their factory. After a careful investigation of the facts of the case, Pilot Craig was excused, it being evident that he had acted for the best interests of all concerned, according to his judgment of the matter at the time, and that he was ready and willing to bring the steamer up to Wilmington immediately after crossing the bar, had he known that such was the desire of the receivers of the cargo. The board strongly impressed upon Pilot Craig, however, the utmost importance of bringing up the river, as soon after arrival over the bar as is consistent with safety, any vessels bound for Wilmington, as it is the sense of the Commissioners that only by the most prompt handling of vessels can the best interest of all be conserved.

The quarterly report of the Harbor Master was accepted and ordered filed.

Application from Pilot T. M. Morse for a recommendation by this board to the proper authorities for his appointment to the position of captain of the new Frying Pan Shoals lightship, now under construction, was read and approved and the chairman was requested to use his influence in Pilot Morse's behalf.

Flags and bunting at Gaylord's. **

GUEST FAILED TO GET HERE

Daughters of Rebekah Disappointed on Account of Non-arrival of Mrs. Whitaker—Delightful Programme Carried Out.

The entertainment of Letitia Lodge No. 3, Daughters of Rebekah, the woman's branch of Odd Fellowship, given in the Odd Fellows' hall last night, was a great success in every particular except one. Mrs. Hattie Reed Whitaker, of Henderson, president of the State Assembly of the Daughters, in whose honor the delightful affair was arranged, who was expected to reach Wilmington yesterday morning, failed to arrive. While nothing was heard from her yesterday or last night it is believed that she missed connections somewhere. She went to Elizabeth City Monday and should have gotten here yesterday morning. Members of the local lodge communicated by long distance telephone with Kinston, Newbern and Goldsboro, but Mrs. Whitaker could not be located in either of those towns.

The members of the local lodge had made most elaborate preparations for the entertainment of Mrs. Whitaker, who was coming here on an official visitation, and her non-arrival was a keen disappointment to them. However, it is hoped that she will arrive today and another meeting will be held in her honor. The ladies had prepared an elaborate banquet which was served late in the afternoon when it was known for a certainty that Mrs. Whitaker would not be here last night.

Notwithstanding the disappointment over the non-arrival of Mrs. Whitaker there was a large assemblage of members and friends at the hall last night and the delightful programme was most heartily enjoyed. The programme included a violin solo by Mrs. J. D. Edwards; reading by Miss Jean LaFrage; a vocal solo by Mrs. Oscar Ellis and reading by Miss Annie Futch.

Mr. M. W. Jacobi was on the programme for an address, but he was unavoidably absent and his place was filled by Mr. Wm. Smith, who spoke of the work of the Rebekah branch of the order. He made a most interesting address and was listened to with evident interest. In beginning he paid a high tribute to Mr. Jacobi, than whom he said there was no more loyal and active Odd Fellow in the State. There are, according to Mr. Smith, 600,000 members of the Rebekah degree in the United States and they are doing great good all over the country. In North Carolina there are 2,000 members. Mr. Smith was proud that he was a member and regretted that more of the Odd Fellows had not taken that degree. The Rebekah branch was established 50 years ago and was at first treated with contempt by a majority of the Odd Fellows, but now there is nothing too good for the Rebekahs to have at the hands of the Odd Fellows. In many of the States the Odd Fellows' Homes are looked after exclusively by the ladies and in this State a committee from the Rebekah lodge is sent to Goldsboro to make an inspection and recommendations. This was wise, he thought, as the ladies can see many things that are needed which would escape the eyes of mere man.

The only other address of the evening was made by Rev. K. D. Holmes, pastor of Fifth Street Methodist Church, who spoke briefly of the work of the Rebekah degree and expressed deep regret over the failure of Mrs. Whitaker to arrive. The assemblage was dismissed with benediction pronounced by Mr. Holmes.

Mrs. James M. Lord, district deputy president, presided and Mrs. J. F. Littleton occupied her office of noble grand. A district meeting had been arranged for yesterday afternoon, but this was postponed until a later date when Mrs. Whitaker will be present.

What you may have been calling the "good fortune in business affairs" of someone you know may be simply enough to make it look important.

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The above is only one of the thousands of grateful letters which are constantly being received by the Pinkham Medicine Company of Lynn, Mass., which prove beyond a doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, actually does cure these obstinate diseases of women after all other means have failed, and that every such suffering woman owes it to herself to at least give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial before submitting to an operation, or giving up hope of recovery.

Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health and her advice is free.

SEABOARD SPECIAL TRAINS.

One From Raleigh and One From Hamlet on Taft Day.

The Seaboard Air Line Railroad has issued an attractive flyer, in the centre of which is an excellent photograph of President Taft, announcing a special train from Hamlet to Wilmington next Tuesday on account of the visit of the Nation's Chief Executive. The train will leave Hamlet at 5 A. M. and will arrive here at 8:30 o'clock. The round trip rate from Hamlet is $3.55 and from intermediate stations in proportion. The train will stop at all the important stations and may be flagged at other stations. It is expected that this train will bring several hundred people, who will get here in ample time to see all that is going on. Returning the train will leave here at 7:30 P. M.

Mr. C. H. Gattis, district passenger agent, announces that in addition to this service a local sleeper will be operated from Raleigh via Hamlet, arriving here at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning. The sleeper will be operated for the accommodation of Raleigh people. On this train will come the Raleigh military company and band and the company from Franklinton.

FIRED TWICE AT HOUSE.

Miss Pettway Narrowly Escaped Being Hit by Bullet.

Early Tuesday evening the residence of Mrs. Elizabeth M. Pettway, 416 Dock street, was fired into twice with a rifle, about a half an hour elapsing between the first and second shots. Both shots were fired from the back of the house. The first entered the hall window and went out the front and narrowly missed hitting Miss Florence Pettway, who was standing in the doorway. The second shot entered another window and the bullet buried itself in the wall on the opposite side of the room. Capt. Robt. Green, hall officer, made an investigation, but everything was quiet when he arrived. He will continue his investigation, however. Captain Green is of the opinion that the shots were fired by boys who were out shooting rifles promiscuously.

Forced Into Exile.

Wm. Upchurch, of Glen Oak, Okla., was an exile from home. Mountain air, he thought, would cure a frightful lung-racking cough that had defied all remedies for two years. After six months he returned, death dogging his steps. "Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery," he writes, "and after taking six bottles I am as well as ever." It saves thousands yearly from desperate lung diseases. Infallible for coughs and colds, it dispels hoarseness and sore throat. Cures grip, bronchitis, hemorrhages, asthma, croup, whooping cough. 50c and $1.00, trial bottle free, guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

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MR. KENNETH M. MURCHISON.

Distinguished Honor Comes in Acceptance of His Plans.

Through the medium of a private telegram received by a close relative from one high in railroad authority it was learned here yesterday that the plans of Mr. Kenneth M. Murchison, a distinguished young architect of New York, and a native of Wilmington, had just been accepted over eight others from all parts of the United States for the great union passenger station which the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will erect at a cost of several million dollars in Philadelphia. This structure will be one of the marvels in railroad architecture of the country and it is understood that Mr. Murchison's plans were accepted even before the names of the designers were announced or the entire number of plans were examined. This is a very high compliment to Mr. Murchison and one in which all Wilmington takes a pride, for he is a "native and to the manner born."

It is expected that official announcement of the Pennsylvania's plans with respect to the station will be forthcoming within a few days.

SHERIFF JULIAN DEAD.

Telegram Received by Relative in This City Yesterday Morning.

A telegram to his cousin, Mr. A. W. Watson, of this city, yesterday bore the distressing intelligence of the death of Sheriff D. R. Julian, of Rowan county, which occurred at his home in Salisbury yesterday morning. As noted in the Star yesterday morning, Sheriff Julian became suddenly ill last Thursday and remained in a precarious condition until the end. He was one of the most prominent and popular citizens of Rowan and his passing will be generally regretted wherever he was known.

Delegates to Waterway Association.

Mr. James H. Chadbourn, president of the North Carolina Waterways Association; Mr. H. G. Smallbones and Mr. H. W. Malloy have been appointed delegates from the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce to the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association which will hold its annual convention in Norfolk upon the occasion of the President's visit there next month.

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Clarke's Monogram Rye,	4.75	9.00	5.00	14.00
Sunny Brook Whiskey, (Bottled in Bond)	3.85	7.00	5.00	13.00
Clarke's Malt Whiskey,	3.85	7.00	4.00	11.00
Clarke's Medicinal Corn-Malt,	3.50	6.50	3.75	10.00
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IN SOCIETY

A meeting of the North Carolina Sorosis will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the Owls' Club Rooms. A full attendance of members is desired.

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Col. and Mrs. Wharton J. Green, who have been visiting at the homes of Mr. George B. Elliott and Mr. Pembroke Jones, on Wrightsville Sound, returned to their home at Fayetteville yesterday.

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MISS SOUTHERLAND BRIDE OF MR. JESSE A. CROOM.

In the presence of only a few relatives and intimate friends at St. Thomas' Catholic Church at 8 o'clock last night, Miss Rosa A. Southerland, attractive daughter of Mrs. Mary J. Southerland, was united in marriage to Mr. Jesse A. Croom, a popular employe of the Atlantic Coast Line, in this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Dennen. Mr. and Mrs. Southerland will reside at 518 Red Cross street. The best wishes of a large number of friends is extended to the young couple.

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What promises to be one of the most brilliant and delightful of the many social functions in honor of distinguished visitors to Wilmington for the Taft celebration is a public reception to Governor W. W. Kitchin, which will be given by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cooper at their elegant and hospitable home on North Fifth street, Monday evening, from 8 to 10 o'clock. Governor Kitchin is expected to arrive here some time Monday and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cooper while he is in the city. Preceding the reception Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Cooper wil entertain the Governor and his staff at 7 o'clock dinner.

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The following announcement of the engagement of Mr. Edward Einstein, of this city, and Miss Miriam Millhiser, of Richmond, Va., which appeared in Tuesday's Richmond Times-Dispatch, will be read with much interest in Wilmington: "Charles Millhiser, of 1001 East Marshall street, announces the engagement of his daughter, Miriam, to Edward Einstein, formerly of Kinston, N. C., now of Wilmington. No date has been set for the wedding, but the event will be one of great interest here, where Miss Millhiser is widely connected. Mr. Einstein is a prominent young business man of Wilmington, and is engaged in the wholesale drygoods business in that city."

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Nearly two hundred young people took part in the elaborate masquerade ball given at Kneisel's Academy of Dancing on Tuesday night in the Masonic Temple. The first prize, a handsome leather handbag, for ladies, was awarded to Miss Nannie Darden, who was costumed as an Indian maid, while the box of fine cigars offered as a first prize for gentlemen was awarded to Mr. Louis Hanson, who was clever in a burlesque impersonation of "Uncle Sam." The next big feature dance will occur on the night the President is here and will be known as a "Taffy Dance." It will be, of course, in the Masonic Temple ball room and the same decorations as will be used for the supper to Mr. Taft will be used for the dance. This will doubtless attract a very large number of the young people of the city.

LOCAL DOTS.

DOTS.

—The regular monthly business meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held this afternoon at 4o'clock at the First Baptist Church.

—The River and Harbor Decoration Committee of the Taft Day celebration will hold an important meeting tonight in the office of the chairman, Capt. E. D. Williams. A full attendance of the members is urged.

—A communication signed "A Rank Outsider," complaining of certain conditions as they exist in Wilmington, is not published on account of the invariable rule in every newspaper office that communications are not wanted except accompanied by the real name of the writer, not for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: The American Suburban Corporation to Margaret Kingsbury, for $275, lot on north side of Creecy avenue, 33 feet west of 20th street, 33x113 feet in size; A Shrier to W. E. Fox and Sallie G. Fox, for $320, lot 4 in block 30, "Carolina Place," the property being on the north side of Perry avenue, 99 feet from 20th street, 33x113 feet in size.

MR. FREDERICK FOSGATE DEAD.

Died Rather Suddenly Yesterday Morning—Brief Illness.

Many friends learned with sincere regret of the death of Mr. Frederick Fosgate, which ocurred rather suddenly at 9 o'clock yesterday morning at his home, 111 South Fourth street. Mr. Fosgate was apparently enjoying splendid health until last Saturday, when he was taken with malarial fever. Complications set in Monday and paralysis of the brain quickly followed, causing his death.

Mr. Fosgate was in the 67th year of his age and is survived by his wife, who was Mrs. Maria Mebane, of this city, before her marriage; three brothers, Mr. Blanchard Fosgate, of Plainfield, N. Y.; Mr. Wm. Fosgate, of Auburn, N. Y., and Mr. Alfred Fosgate, who is now residing in the West; three sisters, Mrs. James H. Moore and Miss Clara Fosgate, of New York City; Misses Mary and Margaret Fosgate, of Auburn, N. Y. He was a son of the late Dr. Blanchard Fosgate, who was a prominent physician of New York State. Mr. Fosgate married Mrs. Mebane, of this city, some 15 or 20 years ago, and they returned here about three years ago to reside in Wilmington permanently. Mr. Fosgate had a large number of warm friends in Wilmington who were deeply pained to learn of his death. The sympathy of a great many friends is extended to the grief-stricken wife and brothers and sisters. Mr. Wm. Fosgate, brother of the deceased, is expected to arrive here tonight, and the funeral arrangements will not be made until he gets here. The funeral will be held in this city, but it is likely that the interment will be in Auburn, N. Y., the former home of the deceased.

FINDING A READY SALE.

Souvenir Booklet of Presidents Who Have Visited Wilmington.

The public interest in the forthcoming visit of President Taft cannot be better judged than by the sale of the attractive souvenir booklet recently compiled by Mr. Iredell Meares, "Presidents Who Have Visited Wilmington, N. C." It is one of the most attractive souvenirs of Wilmington ever issued and has the added attraction of being useful for permanent preservation for the valuable historical data it contains. Copies of the booklet are on sale at the bookstores, Gerken Tobacco Company and many other places convenient to the public downtown. The price is only 50 cents and this barely covers the cost of its issuance.

THIRTY STUDENTS ILL.

Cadets of Georgia Academy Suffering From Poison—Number Recover.

Atalna, Ga., Nov. 3.—Thirty of the students of the Georgia Military Academy, who were suddenly taken ill last week, due, it is said, to eating boneless ham, still are confined to their beds. The medical officer of the academy who diagnosed the trouble as ptomaine poisoning, declares that the patients all are doing well and there is no fear of further trouble.

When the students were taken ill three dogs on the place also became sick, showing the same symptoms as the boys. One of these dogs died last night. The other two are still sick.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Among the guests at The Orton yesterday were: Thos. J. Kelly, Kenansville; W. S. Partrick, Clinton; G. B. Stewart, Charlotte.

—J. R. Roper, Goldsboro; J. W. Carter, Maxton; W. S. McGregor, Goldsboro; Mrs. J. X. McDonald, Bolton, were among last night's arrivals at The Orton.

—Mr. R. M. Norment, Jr., of Lumberton, was here yesterday to stand the census examination, and left in the afternoon for Rocky Mount, where he goes on the staff of the Rocky Mount Record.

—Capt. J. R. Stephens, a popular Seaboard Air Line conductor and a former resident of Wilmington, whose run is now between Raleigh and Monroe, spent yesterday in the city shaking hands with numerous friends. Capt. Stephens is still of the opinion that Wilmington is the best town in North Carolina.

NEWSPAPER MEN COMING.

North Carolina Dailies Will Send Staff Men Here Tuesday.

There will be scores of newspaper men here on the day of President Taft's visit in addition to those in the Taft party, and practically all of the leading dailies of the State, and probably some from States adjoining North Carolina, will have special representatives here to cover the day's events for their papers. There will also be many North Carolina editors who will come for the sole purpose of joining in the celebration. Among the special representatives of North Carolina dailies will be Mr. R. M. Martin, of the staff of the Greensboro News, Greensboro, who is expected to arrive some time Monday. The Charlotte Observer and the Raleigh News and Observer will probably have one or two staff men here to "cover" the celebration.

FARMAN WINS IN FRANCE

English Aviator Lands the Michelin Cup—Beats All Records.

Mourmolen, France, Nov. 3.—Henry Farman, the English aviator, today won the Michelin Cup, beating all aeroplane records for duration of flight and distance. He covered a little over 232 kilometres (144 miles in four hours six minutes and 25 seconds. The previous best record was made by Farman at Rheims last August when he won the grand prix de la Champagne traveling 180 kilometres (111.78 miles) in three hours four minutes 56 2-5 seconds.

The weather today was ideal, it being grey and windless although the cold was severe. The aviator was given an ovation when he landed.

Honor Roll at Wrightsville.

Following is the honor roll for the Wrightsville school for October: First Grade, Danie Lawhorne, Theodore Taylor, Jacob Bloom; second grade, Betta Stokley, Daisy Lawhorne, Carrie Taylor, Bessie Bloom, Audrey Rogers, Gertrude Topel, Mary Cellan, Stacey McGowan, Robert Taylor, Walter Mason, Herbert Topel; third grade, Walter Brock, Ralph Piner, William Rogers; fourth grade, Eugene Cellan; fifth grade, Fannie Mason, Ella Piner; sixth grade, Mamie Roberts, Mamie Mason, Christopher Ketchum; seventh grade, Clarence Rogers, Allie Mason. Requirements: Present every day, no tardy marks, a general average of not less than 90 per cent.

GROWTH OF PROHIBITION.

No License Finds Great Favor in New York Elections.

New York, Nov. 3.—The growth of prohibition sentiment throughout the up state part of New York is indicated by the vailable returns from towns which voted on the local option yesterday. In nearly all the elections the no license advocates had a larger following than heretofore.

Most of the towns voting were small ones, but the no-license plan went through by a large majority in Hornell, a town of nearly 15,000; in Corning, which has approximately 14,000 inhabitants, and in Bath, where about 5,000 persons live. Niagara and Batavia voted for drug store licenses only.

The no-license list so far recorded includes eleven towns in Steubea county; ten in Allegheny, six in Chautauqua; six in Monroe; six in Saratoga; five in Erie, three in Niagara; three in Cattaraugus and two in Genesee. Complete returns from other counties have not yet been received.

The Theatre

The beautiful weather and the fine vaudeville being offered made up a strong combination for drawing large audiences to the Crystal Palace both yesterday afternoon and last night. High words of praise were given the splendid bill of the present week, while especially interesting were the candy and contest and the gifts of handsome pictures made by Artist Wise, who is one of the stars of the present bill.

Today an entirely different bill will be presented, the regular semi-weekly change of programme being made, and the new offering will be a swell one. "The White Yogi" will produce an act even more startling than the one he presented the first part of the week. In his new sketch he will show some wonderful sword manipulation, which is something he learned while studying the weird and mysterious in the Orient. The other new acts will all be good.

Tomorrow night the extra five-pound box of Red Band brand candy will be given away and Saturday night two handsome pictures drawn especially by Artist Wise will be presented to two lucky people in the audience. Two boxes of candy to the ladies will still be given away nightly this week.

One of the Greatest of All Plays.

"It would have been well-nigh impossible ten years ago to have put 'The Servant in the House' into the theatre," says the Chicago Journal. "Either it would have frightened the audience out into the street or it would have been called a great sacrilege. But we look upon it now as being neither fearful or wrong, but as a work of great beauty and power, carrying the healing word to an ailing people. How incalculably far our stage has advanced in a few short years, or how greatly our viewpoint has changed! We have come to demand that the dramatist shall show us he has some big and righteous purpose before we will name his play great. This gradual change from resentment to accetpance set forth has made possible a masterwork like "The Servant in the House.' It is a great play for the man who thinks he is a saint or for the man who knows he is a sinner. It will stay here ten weeks. It ought to stay a year."

Benefit Day at the Bijou.

A portion of the Bijou proceeds today will be given to Letitia Lodge, No. 3, Daughters of Rebekah, the woman's branch of Odd Fellowship, and aside from the merits of the show the popular theatre should be most liberally patronized. The Daughters will use their portion of the receipts for furnishes one of the dormitories at the Odd Fellows' Home in Goldsboro. The programme announced for today is an unusually attractive one, the titles of the pictures being: "A Trip to Yosemite National Park," "How Binks Butted In," and "The Scales of Justice."

Plans for Handsome Residence.

Mr. J. F. Leitner, who has just returned to the city from a visit to points in Georgia and South Carolina, where he is supervising the construction of school buildings, is drawing the plans for a handsome residence for Mr. R. E. L. Brown, at Chadbourn. The building will cost in the neighborhood of $15,000 and will be of the Colonial style. It will probably be the handsomest residence in Chadbourn. Mr. Leitner is also drawing plans for Y. M. C. A. buildings at Rocky Mount, N. C., and Waycross, Ga., the buildings to cost $25,000 each.

No Cases Tried Yesterday.

There were only two cases on the Recorder's court docket yesterday morning and both were continued until today. Sam Rivenbark, a white man, charged with a nuisance, requested a continuance until today, and a case aaginst D. L. Hewett, a white man charged with assault upon his wife, was also continued until today at the request of Brooks G. Empie, Esq., counsel for the defendant. A case against Hewett in Justice Harriss' court for abducting his step-daughter, set for trial yesterday will be tried in the justice's court today.

Census Agents' Examination.

An examination of applicants for appointment to the position of special agent of the census bureau was held in the postoffice building yesterday, conducted by Messrs. J. D. Doscher, Jr., and W. G. A. Otersen, who compose the local civil service board. There were six applicants who stood the examination.

TAFT IN RICHMOND

Arrangements For His Reception as Perfected There.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 3.—The programme for the reception of President Taft here next Wednesday as finally arranged tonight, includes a breakfast for the President and his immediate party at the executive mansion, a parade of the local military as presidential escort, a brief address by the chief magistrate to the association of Times-Dispatch correspondents in Virginia and North Carolina, and the Virginia Press Association a short talk by Mr. Taft to a delegation of colored people representing their race in Virginia and the address of the day by the President at the city auditorium. Provision is made for as much relaxation as possible for the distinguished traveler, in view of the strenuousness of his tour of the country, his journey practically ending at this point. The city is already decorating for Taft Day.

Kills Her Foe of 20 Years.

"The most merciless enemy I had for 20 years," declares Mrs. James Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., "was dyspepsia. I suffered intensely after eating or drinking and could scarcely sleep. After many remedies had failed and several doctors gave me up I tried Electric Bitters, which cured me completely. Now I can eat anything. I am 70 years old and am overjoyed to get my health and strength back again." For indigestion, loss of appetite, kidney trouble, lame back, female complaints, it's unequaled. Only 50c at R. R. Bellamy.

FROM FARAWAY SYRIA.

Old Man Came to Rescue of Son in America—At Fayetteville.

Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 3.—The Observer this afternoon prints the following interesting story of a father's devotion to son, regardless of distance or nationality:

"On last Sunday there arrived in Fayetteville direct from his home in faraway Syria, an old man, the father of Solomon Khoury, who is now serving a term of fifteen years imposed by Judge Peebles two years agoona conviction of burglary in the second degree. The old man has never been away from his native home before, but undertook the trip at great expense to see if he could do something for his son. As a result, the lawyers have been busy yesterday and today, trying to straighten out the entangled condition of affairs, brought about by the charges against Solomon. Suits and counter suits have been pending with $500 in money tied up in the bank awaiting a settlement of the suits. Today, after much discussion consent judgments were tendered and signed by the judge, thus putting an end to the litigation between the parties, and the old man from Syria hopes to get the Governor to let him take his son back to Syria.

"He is said to be an intelligent, well to-do man, and to own considerable lands in his country. The Syrian colony here, including both factions, have great respect for him, and he easily got matters adjusted.

"The old gentleman cannot talk or understand English, and looks with wonder in his eyes when hearing English spoken in court so rapidly by the lawyers.

"If he cannot induce the Governor to pardon Solomon, he will soon return to his native land.

"Messrs. Cook and Davis and Rose and Rose represented one side, while Q. K. Nimocks and H. McD. Robinson, Esq., still another. All sides seem to be contented with the result."

GREAT CROSS-COUNTRY TOUR.

Ends in Blaze of Glory at Atlanta. Most Successful Journey.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 3.—The most successful cross-country tour ever inaugurated came to a close in a blaze of glory today when the Atlanta Journal-New York Herald good roads tourists entered Atlanta shortly after 1 o'clock.

As the first begrimed and travel-sore caravan, escorted by scores of local automobiles, rolled into the residence portion of the city fire bells, factory whistles, automobile horns and the cheers of enthusiastic thousands along the streets awoke a perfect bedlam of noise, which continued until the tourists reached the office of the Journal. The travelers lunched at the Piedmont Driving Club and tonight were guests at a dinner at the Capital City Club.

Splendid highways and almost perfect weather reseulted in more perfect scores than on any similar trip in the history of touring, according to the officials. The records will be made public tomorrow. Repeating the record of previous days, "Ty" Cobb was the hero of the day's journey.

The majority of the tourists will remain in Atlant for automobile week, November 6th to 13th, and will be lavishly entertained by local motor enthusiasts.

AUGUSTA AFTER PENNANT.

Brings Matter of Chattanooga Championship Before Commision.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. 3.—In an attempt to wrest the honors of the "Championship of Dixie" from the local baseball club officials of the Augusta team have filed a petition with the National Commission asking that the two first games of the post-series between Chattanooga and Augusta be allowed to count, and that the decision of the league directors in throwing out these games be overruled, which would give the South Atlantic pennant to Augusta.

Local baseball officials have been notified to attend the meeting of the National Commission in Memphis next week and present their side of the case. The National Commission will meet there at the same time the Southern League directors are in session.

MARYLAND ELECTION.

Amendment Lost by Over 16,000—Hagerstown Went Wet.

Baltimore, Nov. 3.—With a few county precincts yet to be heard from, unofficial figures tonight show that the proposed amendment to the State constitution intended to disfranchise the negroes is defeated by 16,155, and that Hering, Democrat for State Comptroller, defeats his Republican opponent by 9,076. The Legislature on joint ballot, judging from the as yet incomplete returns, will stand 90 Democrats and 38 Republicans. In both Houses they will apparently have the power to again bring the question of the disfranchisement of the negroes before the people at the next election.

Voting on the liquor question, Hagerstown went "wet".

HOME ENDORSEMENT.

Hundreds of Wilmington Citizens Can Tell You All About It.

Home endorsement, the public expression of Wilmington people, should be evidence beyond dispute for every Wilmington reader. Surely the experience of friends and neighbors, cheerfully given by them, will carry more weight than the utterances of strangers residing in faraway places. Read the following:

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TO GRIN THEIR WELCOME.

O'Possums a Feature of President's Decorations—There Today.

Macon, Ga., Nov. 3.—Complete in every detail and in strict conformity to the President's wishes are the arrangements for his visit to Macon.

At 7:30 o'clock tomorrow morning the Presidential party will be met at the union sation by a number of Macon citizens who will accompany the President to the residence of Congressman Charles L. Bartlett for breakfast.

On the way to the fair grounds the President will be accorded a rousing ovation by thousands of school children stationed at various points along the route.

From every section of Central Georgia crowds have been pouring into Macon for 24 hours. The welcome to be extended Mr. Taft will be genuinely cordial and decidedly void of formality.

The city's decorations are elaborate and suggestive of Taft day. A striking feature and one wholly unique is the decorated front of one store on the President's route. On two persimmon trees appear four possums, real live masupials, which will grin their satisfaction at being gazed upon by the President of the United States.

JACKSON QUIET AGAIN.

Breathitt Farmers Return After Firing Few Shots—Election.

Jackson, Ky., Nov. 3.—By dusk tonight all the Breathitt folk, who live outside Jackson, had heard enough election returns and after firing the pistols intermittently for a while rode out of town. It is believed that their departure removed any danger of disorder as a result of yesterday's election which went Democratic. The Cynthiana Company of State militia left for home today. The Lexington soldiers will remain during the sitting of the court, which ends next Saturday.

The Cynthiana company, which remained in the streets of Jackson last night without attempting to interrupt the firing pistols in the air, did not have a single round of ammunition during their stay in Jackson, it was learned today.

John Blanton tonight asserted that it was he, and not his brother Tilden, who killed Demosthenes Noble at the Spring Fork precinct polls during the election Tuesday. John was arrested.

Judge Redwine tonight declared that he would exterminate the "blind tigers" in Breathitt county. Late tonight the town was deserted and quiet.

MAYOR TOM JOHNSON.

Defeated for Fifth Term, to Close Railway Fight.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 3.—Tom L. Johnson, defeated yesterday for election to a fifth term as mayor of Cleveland, announced today that he would continue the negotiations for a settlement of the long street railway war along the lines suggested by Federal Judge R. W. Taylor.

"It is entirely up to Judge Taylor whether the question will be settled before January 1, when I go out of office," he said. "He can end the controversy tomorrow if he wants to."

Judge Taylor is engaged in making a valuation of the Cleveland railway property, to serve as a basis on which the company will be allowed 6 per cent. dividends by the city, and the mayor and city council are pledged to accept this valuation subject to a referendum.

HOPE MILLS RECEIVERSHIP.

Company Store, Incorporated—Residence of Mr. James Sprunt.

Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 3.—The Observer this afternoon prints the following item of Wilmington interest:

The Company Store, incorporated at Hope Mills, of which J. W. Harris is president, and M. W. Harris, secretary and treasurer, was placed in the hands of E. W. Lasley, as receiver yesterday. The application for a receiver was made by Attorneys Cook & Davis, representing creditors of the company, and the order of receivership was issued by Judge Lyon. This concern is in no way connected with the Hope Mills Manufacturing Company.

Capt. J. H. Robinson, in commenting on the article in yesterday's Observer relative to the old Dudley Mansion in Wilmington, now the home of Mr. James Sprunt, says that our correspondent failed to state that this famous place was once the property of his friend, Col. Kerchner, who dispensed royal hospitality during his residence there, and entertained Cardinal Gibbons during his stay in North Carolina.

FATAL STREET CAR WRECK.

One Killed and 65 Passengers Injured in Des Moines Accident.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 3.—A street car on the University line today broke away from the control of the motorman on a hill, left the track and turned a somersault, killing W. R. Robb, of Oklahoma City, and injuring 65 other passengers.

D. B. Smith, of Des Moines, was so seriously hurt that he may die. It is believed that the others injured will recover. Motorman A. A. Person jumped from the car just before it left the track while racing down the hill 30 miles an hour. The motorman declared that he tried in vain to apply the brakes. When he saw that the accident was inevitable he jumped through the vestibule of the car, but escaped serious injury. Parson hes been motorman only a short time.

Among the seriously hurt is Elbert Warren, captain and centre of the Drake University football team, who has passed many a gridiron scrimmage unscathed.

DISMISS REV. WM. DUNCAN

Action of First Presbytery Following Serious Charges.

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 3.—With three charges of unministerial conduct against him, the first Presbytery of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church in session at Black Creek, today voted to grant a certificate of dismissal to Rev. William Duncan, formerly pastor of First Church, this city. The case has been before the various Presbyteries of this section for a year and originated with sensational charges which embodied letters written to the nurse of a local hospital while the minister's wife lay on her death bed in the institution. Rather than stir the church with the scandal of trial which seemed inevitable the Presbytery today voted to quietly dismiss the offending minister, with the privilege of affiliation with some other denomination.

Dr. James B. Angell, president emeritus of the University of Michigan, was notified yesterday that he has been decorated by the Emperor of Japan with the first class of the Imperial Order of the Sacred Treasure.

The State Board of Agriculture in its quarterly report issued yesterday places the total cotton crop in Louisiana for the season of 1909 at 273,777 bales.

NEGRO KILLED BY POSSE

Result of Outrage Near Sutton, W. Va. Searching Other Negroes.

Sutton, W. Va., Nov. 3.—Two organized parties of men are tonight scouring the hills of this county searching for two negroes believed to have aided Charles Iewis, a negro, in dastardly assault upon Mrs. Mary Lockhold, wife of a prosperous farmer today near the small settlement of Exchange. If the negroes are caught lynching is not improbable. Lewis, the only known member of the party of three who are thought to have been implicated in the deed, is dead, having been implicated in the deed, is dead, having been shot and killed by a posse of men late today when endeavoring to escape near this place.

According to Deputy Sheriff Williams three negroes late last night went to the home of George Lockhold, living but a few miles from this place, and after tying the farmer to a tree and whipping him on his bare back with willow switches, attempted an assault upon Mrs. Lockhold.

Persons who happened to be passing the Lockhold farm heard the screams of the woman and the negroes fled at the approach of the passersby.

A posse of farmers was organized within a short space of time and after a 24-hour hunt Lewis, one of the supposed trio of negroes was apprehended. As he turned to flee from his pursuers after being ordered to throw up his hands, he was shot and instantly killed. Late tonight news reached here that one of the pursuing posses had surrounded the two negroes in a swamp near the scene of the crime. The courier who brought the news of the imminent apprehension of the men said lynching could not be averted if they were caught alive.

At midnight a telephone communication was received from Gassaway stating that two negroes thought to have been implicated in the assault on Mrs. Rockhold had been captured near that place and placed in jail. Men with rifles are said to be guarding the jail against a possible lynching party.

PREACHER USED KNIFE.

After Heated Argument Over Constitutional Prohibition Fight.

Florence, Ala., Nov. 3.—First blood was drawn today in Florence in the constitutional prohibition fight. The belligerants were Rev. J. O. C. Pace, a Baptist preacher, and S. P. Merrill, a livery stable keeper. After some argument in which the men differed as to the merits or demerits of the amendment, Rev. Pace cut Merrill with a knife and the latter retaliated with a blow. By-standers separated the men and they were put under bond to appear tomorrow.

After a pursuit on horseback for 30 miles Constable Rasmussen yesterday arrested John Mesci, charged with the murder of his employer, George Thoburn, and Thoburn's wife and mother-in-law, Mrs. McNiven, at Quill Lake, Saskatchewan, near Winnipeg, Tuesday.

Secretary Knox has specially designated Mr. O'Brien, the American Ambassador at Tokio, to represent the United States at the funeral of the late Prince Ito today.

Young Girls Are Victims

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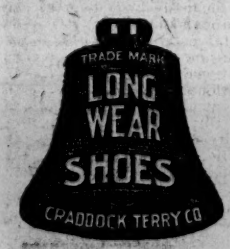

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 3.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market steady 55 cents.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing.

TAR—Firm $1.90 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm. $2.50 per barrel for hard; $4.00 for dip and $4.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.30, tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $1.50, $2.00 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	23
Rosin	120
Tar	77
Crude turpentine	41

Receipts, same day last year 7 casks spirits turpentine; 52 barrels rosin; 42 barrels tar; 24 barrels crude turpentine

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet 14 5-8 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Quiet, 8 3-4 cents.

Receipts—2,444 bales, same day last year 1,928 bales

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith Oct. 31st.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 65@70; extra prime, 72 1-2; fancy 75@80c; Virginia, prime 65@70; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish $1.00 to $1.05.

CORN—Firm 90 to 95c per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 17@18c; shoulders 14@15c; sides 14@15c.

EGGS—Dull, 25 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Spring 20 ; to 30c grown 35 to 42 1-2c; scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 28c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 14c; green, 9c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull 40 @ 50c per bushel for new yams.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 50c per bushel for new yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c., free of burr 24c.

GEESE—50 cents per head.

PORK—Small 10c per lb.; large, no demand.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

TURKEYS—12 1-2 to 13c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, Nov. 3.—Today's cotton market was the most active of the season and probably in the history of the New York Exchange while an early break of about 30 points following an initial advance was followed in turn by renewed strength with prices making new high records for the season during the afternoon. The close was steady at a net advance 7 to 41 points; active months being generally 12 to 18 points net higher. August contracts sold more than $2 a bale above the closing price of Monday. The market had a very excited opening wing to sensational gains in Liverpool and New Orleans while New York was closed yesterday and first prices were 5 to 7 points higher, with the active months selling 8 to 11 net higher during the first few minutes This advance established new high records and attracted enormous realizing.

At first the market was pretty well sustained by the covering of foreign straddle accounts but as the demand from this source slackened toward the close of the Liverpool market here became even heavier and more general as a result of rumors that Patten was "unloading and prices from 15.01 to 14.74 for January and from 15.26 to 14.93 for May or about $1.50 per bale. At the decline, however, leading southern bulls became aggressive buyers, the Patten rumors were denied and the market recovered its loss in sensational style, January touching 15.10 and May 15,32 or 17 to 20 points net higher. Only slight reactions occurred during the last few minutes with January closing at 15.06 and May 15.30 bid. There was considerable talk of less satisfactory spot conditions in the South and of further shipments for delivery on local contracts but the southern spot markets omcially reported today were 1-8 to 3-8 higher and this showing probably helped futures during the afternoon

Over four hundred crop estimates compiled by a local paper showed an average crop of 10,950,000 bales and a prominent local statistician estimated only 6,905,000 bales ginned to November 1 against 8,192,000 last year

The total sales today were estimated at over a million bales

Receipts at the ports today were 57,573 bales against 67,865 last week and 68,8.4 last year For the week 400,000 bales against 418,571 last week and 485,809 last year Today's receipts at New Orleans were 19,250 bales against 17,039 last year and at Houston 12,0.0 bales against 26,404 last year

Spot closed quiet 10 points higher; middling uplands 15.20; middling gulf 15.45; sales none.

Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month	Open.	Close.
November	14.67-70	14.77
December	14.7o	14.97
January	15.01	15.06
February	——	15.12
March	15.12	15.24
April	15.08	15.24
May	15.16	15.37
June	15.1o	15.25
July	15.21	15.30
August	14.50	14.89
September	——	13.58
October	12.95	12.97

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 14 5-8; net receipts 17,952; stock 233,780.

New Orleans—Quiet and steady, 14 11-16; net receipts 19,250; stock 186,137.

Mobile—Firm 14 3-4; net receipts 2,479; stock 35,177

Savannah—Quiet, 14 5-8; net receipts 10,201; stock 243,07.

Charleston—Quiet, 14 5-8; net receipts 1,386; stock 40,384

Wilmington—Quiet, 14 5-8; net receipts 2,444; stock 35,549

Norfolk—Steady, 14 5-8; net receipts 3,861; stock 30,505

Baltimore—Nominal, 14 7-8; stock 3,289

New York—Quiet, 15.20; stock 114,338.

Boston—Quiet, 15.20

Philadelphia—Steady, 14.45; stock 1,906

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 57,573; Continent 18,101; stock 915,164.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 269,440; Great Britain 79,353; France 14,379; Continent 89,099; Mexico 5o8.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, Net receipts 3,080,512; Great Britain 755,366; France 394,556; Continent 863,419; Japan 8,364; Mexico 5,805

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 14 5-8; net receipts 12,070; stock 9o,962.

Augusta—Steady, 14 7-8; net receipts 2,745; stock 69,899.

Memphis—Firm, 15; net receipts 7,599; stock 143,629.

St. Louis—Steady, 15; net receipts 1,4.2; stock 21,607.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 1,247; stock 9,825

Little Rock—Steady, 14 1-2; net receipts 2,o96; stock 39,362

Louisville—Firm, 15 1-2

Total today—Net receipts 27,619; gross receipts 32,256; shipments 24,959; sales 7,395; stock 370,284.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool, Nov. 3.—Spot moderate business done, prices one point higher. American middling air 8.31; good middling 8.07; middling 7.95; low middling 7.85; good ordinary 7.59; ordinary 7.34.

The sales of the day were 7,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 6,400 American.

Receipts 6,000 bales including 5,700 American

Futures opened easier and closed quiet. November 7.67; November and December 7.66; December and January 7.66; January and February 7.68; February and March 7.70; March and April 7.72; April and May 7.74; 1-2; May and June 7.77; June and July 7.77; June and July 7.77; July and August 7.77; August and September 7.44; September and October 6.91; October and November 6.75; November and December 6.70.

DICK BROS' COTTON LETTER.

New York, Nov. 3.—Liverpool was crowded rather fast and hard yesterday, while the New York market was closed, and showed a reactionary tendency this morning, which extended to the local market

The decline was rfom 25 to 30 points and was accompanied by the usual rumors that the big bulls were selling out The customary denial was forthcoming and big buying orders came with it. The result was a recovery and an advance to new high levels, with early sellers scrambling to get back their cotton. Spot markets in the South are showing surprising strength, with advances of 1-8 to 1-2 cent. At most of the important interior centers actual cotton is selling on a parity with futures and in some cases above a parity. There were some rumors current to the effect that the National ginner's report, which is due Friday, will make a bullish showing regarding the amount of cotton ginned up to November 1st Aside from the broadening speculation, the real strength of the situation is the demand for actual cotton

DICK BROTHERS.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Nov. 3.—The dry goods market showed considerable activity during the day. Orders for prints ginghams and domestics at being placed by retailers and there is also considerable activity in the purchase of knit goods of all kinds for immediate or nearby delivery Men's wear woolen are active. Yarns are very firm and some sizable sales were recorded during the day.

STOCK MARKET.

New York, Nov. 3.—The restricted speculation with respected financial authorities have been advising or several weeks past was in evident today. It was supposed to be due in part to the delay in the return from election day holiday visits on the part of the brokerage fraternity. There was sufficient uncertainty acknowledged in the money outlook to account for the halting tendency in the market's activity. The call money rate did not rise again to the 5 per cent. touched late on Monday but the figures of the clearing house exchanges for that day gave a hint of the special demand on the banks. The settlements effected between the clearing house banks for that day amounted to the prodigious total of $736,461,544. The nearest approach ever made to these figures was on January 3, 1906 when exchanges at the clearing house were reported at 686,884,890

The fall in activity was especially noticeable in the handful of stocks in which a quarter to one half the total dealings for week past have taken place. At the same time there was some diversion of speculative interest to other points ,especially to minor industrial stocks. This was fostered to some extent by the slight response hitherto made by the steel industrials to the disproportionate advance in United States Steel

Bonds were heavy Total sales par value were $4,284,000. United States 2s and the 3s coupon declined 1-4 per cent. on call. Total sales of stocks today, were 704,400 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Nov. 3.—Money on call firm 3 to 3 1-2, ruling rate 4, closing bid 3 3-4, offered at 3 7-8. Time loans firm, sixty days 4 1-2 to 4 3-4 per cent, and ninety days 4 3-4, six months 4 1-2 to 4 3-4 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper 5 to 5 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.83 to 4.8315 or sixty day bills and at 4.8725 for demand; commercial bills 4.82 1-2 to 4.83. Bar silver 50 3-8. Mexican dollars 43.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S ref. 2s. reg	100
U. S. ref 2s cou	100
U. S. 3s reg	101 1-4
U. S. 3s coup	101 1-4
U. S. 4s reg	116
U S. 4s cou	1.. 3-4
Allis-Chalmers 1st 5s	84 5-8
American Agricultural 5s	1.. 3-4
Amer. Tel & Tel cv 4s	104 7-8
American Tobacco 4s	80 1-8
American Tobacco 6s	109 1-2
Atchison gen 4s	93 1-2
Atchison Short Line 1st 4s	00
Atchison cv 4s	122 3-8
Atchison cv. 5s	121 3-4
A. C. L. 1st 4s	95 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	99
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	93
B. & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	89 1-2
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	85 3-8
Canda Southern 1st 6s	108 1-2
Central of Georgia 5s	98 1-2
Central Leather 5s	125 1-4
Central R. R. of N. J. gen 5s	103
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	102 3-4
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	73 1-2
C., B. & Q. joint 4s	96 1-8
C., Mil. & St. P. gen 3 1-2s	99 1-8
C. R. & P. R. R. col. 4s	89 1-4
C., R. I. & P. R. R. col. 5s	78
C., R. I. & P. Ry, rfg. 4s	92
C. C. C. & St. Louis gen 4s	90 3-8
Colorado Industrial 5s	82 1-2
Colorado Midland 4s	80 1-2
Col & S ref & ext. 4 1-2s	97 3-4
Delaware & Hudson cv 4s	101 5-8
Del. & Hudson 1st ref. 4s	9o 3-4
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	93 1-4
Distillers 5s	75
Erie prior lien 4s	82 1-2
Erie Gen. 4s	75 1-2
Erie cv 4s series "A"	82 5-8
Erie cv. 4s seires "B"	72
General Electric cv 5s	149 1-2
Illinois Central 1st ref 4s	99 1-8
Interborough Met 4 1-2s	83 1-4
Inter Merc. Marine 4 1-2s	69 3-4
Japan 4s	86 1-8
Japan 41-2s	93 1-2
Japan 4 1-2s, 2nd series	73 1-2
Kan. City Southern 1st 3s	94 3-4
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	99 3-8
L. & Nash. Un. 4s	99 5-8
Mi., Kan. & Tex. 1st 4s	90 1-4
Mo., Kan. & Tex 1st & ref 4s	80
Mo., Kan. & Tex. gen. 4 1-2s	94
Missouri Pacific 4s	90 3-8
N. Y. Central gen. 3 1-2	95
N. Y. Central deb. 4s	142 1-2
N. Y. City 4 1-2s (new	98 3-4
N. Y., N. H. & Hart. cv 6s	101 1-4
N. & W. 1st con 4s	101 3-4
N. & W. cv 4s	72 1-4
Northern Pacific 4s	92 3-4
Northern Pacific 3s	96 5-8
O. S. Line rfdg 4s	104 5-8
Penn. cv 3 1-2s, (1915)	99 1-8
Penn. Con. 4s	84 1-2
Reading Gen. 4s	89
St L. & Son. Fran. fg 4s	77 3-4
St. L. S'western con. 4s	92
St. L. S'western 1st gold 4s	88
Seaboard Air Line 4s	91
Southern Pacific col 4s	102 1-4
S. Pacific R. R 1st ref 4s	94 1-2
Southern Railway 5s	108 1-2
Southern Railway gen 4s	80 1-4
Union Pacific 4s	103
Union Pacific cv 4s	114 1-2
Union Pacific 1st and ref 4s	97
U. S. Rubber 6s	105
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	105 1-2
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	97 1-2
Wabash 1st 5s	112 1-4
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	73 3-4
Western Md. 4s b	83 1-2
Westinghouse Electric cv 5s	94 7-8
Wisconsin Central 4s	94 7-8

Closing Stock List.

Allis Chalmers pfd	54
Amalgamated Copper	88 7-8
American Agricultural	47 1-2
American Beet Sugar	48 1-4
American Can pfd	82 1-2
American Car & Foundry	76 1-4
American Cotton Oil	75 5-8
American Hide & L. pfd	45 1-4
American Ice Securities	24 1-2
American Linseed	15 3-4
American Locomotive	63 5-8
American S. & Ref'ng	99 1-8
Amer S & Ref'ng pfd	110
American Sugar Refining	132 1-2
American Tel. & Tel	141 1-4
American Tobacco pfd	99 7-8
American Woolen	35
Anaconda Mining Co	49 1-4
Atchison	124 1-4
Atchison pfd	105
Atlantic Coast Line	137
Baltimore & Ohio	117 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	91
Bethleham Steel	34 1-4
Brooklyn Rapid Trans.	76 3-4
Canadian Pacific	184 1-2
Central Leather	48 7-8
Central Leather pfd	109
Central of New Jersey	290
Chesapeake & Ohio	89 1-4
Chicago & Alton	68 1-2
Chicago Great Western	20 1-2
Chicago & Northwestern	189 1-2
Chicago Mil. & St. Paul	157 1-2
C. C. C. & St. Louis	78
Colorado Fuel & Iron	48 7-8
Colorado & Southern	55
Colorado & Southern 1st pfd	79 1-2
Col. & Southern 2nd pfd	78 1-2
Consolidated Gas	144 1-4
Corn Products	21 1-2
Delaware & Hudson	186
Denver & Rio Grande	48 7-8
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	84 3-4
Distillers' Securities	37 3-4
Erie	34
Erie 1st pfd	48
Erie 2nd pfd	39 3-4
General Electric	163
Great Northern pfd	145
Great Northern Ore Cafs	83 1-8
Illinois Central	147
Interborough-Met	20 3-8
Interborough-Met pfd	50 7-8
Intre Harvester	106
Inter-Marine pfd	22 1-8
International Paper	15 1-4
International Pump	50
Iowa Central	29 1-4
Kansas City Southern	43 1-2
Kan. City Southern pfd	69 7-8
Louisville & Nashville	153
Minneapolis & St. Louis	53 1-4
Minn. St. Sault St. M.	137
Missouri Pacific	69 3-4
Mo. Kan. & Texas	47 3-8
Mo., Kan. & Texas pfd	74 1-2
National Biscuit	114
National Lead	89 1-8
Nat'l Rye, of Mex. 1st pfd	55 1-2
N. Y. Central	135 5-8
N. Y., Ontario & W	47 1-8
Norfolk & Western	95 3-4
North American	78
Northern Pacific	148
Pacific Mail	41 1-2
Pennsylvania	147 1-8
People's Gas	116
Pittsburg, C. C & St. Louis	96
Pressed Steel Car	54 3-4
Pullman Palace Car	192
Railway Steel Spring	51
Reading	162 7-8
Republic Steel	48
Republic Steel pfd	106 3-4
Rock Island Co	41
Rock Island Co pfd	80 5-8
St. L. & San. Fran. 2nd pfd	57 3-4
St. Louis Southwestern	28 3-4
St. L. Southwestern pfd	67 3-4
Sloss Sheffield Steel and Iron	90 3-4
Southern Pacific	129 1-4
Southern Railway	31 1-8
Southern Railway pfd	70 1-8
Tennessee Copper	36 3-4
Texas & Pacific	35 1-2
Toledo, St L. & West	54 1-8
Toledo, St. L. & West pfd	70 3-4
Union Pacific	201 5-8
Union Pacific pfd	103 3-8
United States Realty	82
United States Rubber	50 3-8
United States Steel	91
United States Steel pfd	128 1-4
Utan Copper	50 5-8
Virginia Carolina Chemical	49 1-2
Wabash	20 1-4
Wabash pfd	51 7-8
Western Maryland	32 1-4
Westinghouse Electric	85 1-2
Western Union	77
Wheeling & Lake Erie	8 1-2
Wisconsin Central	50
Standard Oil Co	701

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Nov. 3.—Flour quiet and easier to sell.

Rye Flour—Steady

Buckwheat Flour—Dull.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Dull

Wheat—Spot weak; No. 2, red 1.25-5-8 asked, domestic elevator; No. 2 1.21 asked to arrive fob afloat. Options 1-2 to 1 3-4 lower. December 1.10 5-8; May 1.09 34.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 62 1-2 elevator and 70 fob afloat nominal. Options unchanged to 3-8c lower. December 69 1-2; May 5-8.

Oats—Spot steady; mixed 26 to 32 pounds nominal

Lard—Steady

Tallow—Steady

Rice—Firm

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3.80; refined steady.

Coffee—Quiet Rio No 7, 8 1-4; Santos No. 4, 8 3-4. Mild quiet; Cordova 9 to 11 1-2. Futures steady net 5 points higher to 5 points lower.

Butter—Steady, unchanged.

Cheese—Unchanged.

Eggs—Steady; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, hennery gathered brown 28 to 3..

Cotton Seed Oil realizing sales resulter in an easier tone to the cotton oil market but offerings were well associated with new buying for outside account and the close was barely steady with reports of a lower crude market. November 7.07 to 7.10; January 7.12 to 7.13; March 7.17 to 7.19; May 7.20 to 7.22. Prime crude 6.13 to 6.20; do summer yellow 7.08 to 7.20; do winter yellow 7.10 to 7.50; do summer white 7.10 to 7.45.

Potatoes—Steady; Jersey sweets per barrel 1.25 to 1.50.

Cabbages—Weak; state 2.00 to 3.00 per 100.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—Wheat prices broke severely on the board of trade today owing to general liquidation based on the weakness of the cash situation in this country and on the favorable outlook of the Argentine crop. The December delivery declined 2 3-8 from the high point of the day. At the close prices showed net losses of 1 to 2 1-8. Corn and oats were slightly affected by the slump in wheat and closed easy but provisions were strong.

	Opening	Highest	Closing.
Wheat—			
Dec.	1 04 1-8	1 04 1-4	1 02
May	1 03 3-4	1 03 7-8	1 02 5-8
July	96 1-2	96 5-8	95 5-8
Corn—			
Dec.	58 3-4	59	58 1-2
May	60 3-4	61 1-8	60 5-8
July	60 3-8	60 5-8	60 1-8
Oats—			
Dec.	39 1-2	39 1-2	39 1-4
May	42	42 1-8	41 3-4
July	39 5-8	39 5-8	39 3-8
Mess Pork per bbl—			
Jan.	19 57 1-2	19 85	19 77 1-2
May	19 30	19 47 1-2	19 40
Lard per 100 lbs.—			
Nov	12 05	12 15	12 10
Jan.	11 42 1-2	11 57 1-2	11 57 1-2
May	11 12 1-2	11 25	11 25
Short Ribs per 100 lbs.—			
Jan.	10 15	10 22 1-2	10 22 1-2
May	10 10	10 17 1-2	10 17 1-2

NAVAL STORES.

Charleston, S. C., Nov. 3.—Turpentine firm 55 1-4 Rosin firm. Quote A. B. C. 4.00; D, 4.00; E, 4.07 1-2; F, 4.10; G, 4.10; H, 4.12 1-2; I, 4.60; K, 5.50; M, 5.85; N, 6.10; WG, 6.40; WW, 6.75.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 3.—Turpentine firm 56 1-4; sales 887; receipts 638; shipments 391.

Rosin firm; sales 2,446; receipts 2,486; shipments 3,921; stock 140,199. Quote: A. B. C. 4.00; D, 4.00; E, 3.97-1-2 to 4.00; F, 4.00 to 4.05; G, 4.05 to 4.07 12; H, 4.12 1-2 to 4.15; I, 4.60; K, 5.50; M, 5.85; N, 6.10; WG, 6.40; WW, 6.80.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Belg str Iris, 1,796 tons, Thiriar, Antwerp, American Naval Stores Co.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

CLEARED.

Ger. str. Maria Rickmers, Rupp, Savannah, Heide & Co.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 3, 1909.

C. C. Railroad—313 bales cotton, 11 barrels tar.

W & W. Railroad—702 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 4 barrels tar.

W., C. & A. Railroad—844 bales cotton, 44 barrels tar, 12 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—519 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 19 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—59 bales cotton, 7 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—7 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 50 barrels rosin.

Flat—21 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. J. D. Pickett—9 casks spirits turpentine, 70 barrels rosin.

Total—2,444 bales cotton, 23 casks spirits turpentine, 120 barrels rosin, 77 barrels tar, 41 barrels crude turpentine

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Hohenfelde (Gr.) 1,887 tons, Protch r, Heide & Co.

Taberistan (Br.) 1,836 tons, Patton, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Soutra (Br.) Davies, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Battersea Bridge, (Br.) 2,171 tons, Pallett, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Iris (Belg.) 1,796 tons, Thiriar, American Naval Stores Co.

Schooners.

Geo. F. Phillips, 237 tons, Gaskins, C. D. Mamtt.

Victor C. Records, 263 tons, Moore, C. D. Maffitt.

Lizzie M. Parsons, 571 tons, Sharpley, C. D. Maffitt.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

By virtue a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, North carolina, made in a certain cause therein pending wherein Comfort Rowell et al. are plaintiffs and Lina Mildred Rowell et al. are defendants, the undersigned Commissioner appointed in and by said decree to sell the lands and premises set out and described in the complaint therein, will, on Monday, the 22nd day of November, 1909, at 12 o'clock, M. at the Court House door of the County of New Hanover aforesaid, by public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, sell that certain tract, piece or parcel of land lying, being and situate in the City of Wilmington, County and State aforesaid and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the Eastern line of Fifth street one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet South from the Southern line of Dock street and running thence Southwardly along said Eastern line of Fifth street thirty-six feet and six (6) inches, thence Eastwardly, parallel with Dock street, one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet, thence Northwardly, parallel with Fifth street, thirty-six (36) feet and six (6) inches and thence Westwardly, parallel with Dock street, one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet to the Eastern line of Fifth street, the Beginning, the same being a part of lots 3 and 4 in Block No. 143 according to the official plan of the aforesaid City of Wilmington.

This the 20th day of October, 1909

MARSDEN BELLAMY, JR.
Commissioner.

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"A Stitch in Time Saves Nine"

Take advantage of the common sense contained in the above old adage, by giving us your orders for Stoves and heaters before the cold weather arrives.

We carry one of the largest stocks and best assortment of Hardware in the State at prices which defy competition.

Come in, call up 106 or 1030—or write and let us figure with you.

J. W. MURCHISON & COMPANY.
109-111 North Front Street.

oc 5-tf.

SPECIAL LOW RATES
Via
SEABOARD AIR LINE.
Account Following Special Occasions.

ATLANTA, GA.—Account Automobile Races, November 6th-13th. Tickets on sale on various dates from November 7th to 12th, inclusive. Final return limit November 16th. Extension however, can be secured until November 30th. Rate from Raleigh, $12.85; Charlotte, $8.20; Wilmington, $13.30; Durham, $14.05; Hamlet, $10.00. Rates on same basis from other points.

WILMINGTON, N. C.—President Taft Day Celebration: Special trains and exceedingly low rates, November 9th. Special rates and schedules of special trains will be announced later. Tickets to be sold November 9th, limited, returning to leave Wilmington November 10th.

SAVANNAH, GA.—Account Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons, November 8th-13th. Tickets on sale November 6th and 7th, and trains scheduled to arrive in Savannah before noon on November 8th. Rate from Raleigh, $10.45; Henderson, $11.50; Hamlet, $7.60; Charlotte, $7.75; Wilmington, $10.75. Rates on same basis from other points.

RALEIGH, N. C.—Account Farmers' National Congress, November 3rd-9th. Exceedingly low rates from all points. Tickets on sale October 31st-November 1st, 2nd and for all trains scheduled to arrive in Raleigh before noon November 3rd. Final return limit November 12th.

NEW ORLEANS, LA.—Lakes to the Gulf Deep Waterway Association, October 30th-November 2nd. Tickets on sale October 27th, 28th and 29th. Final return limit good returning 15 days from date of sale. Rate from Raleigh, $31.35; Charlotte, $23.05; Wilmington, $27.75; Wadesboro, $23.96; Henderson, $26.75; Laurinburg, $25.15. Rates on same basis from other points.

For further information apply to nearest Seaboard ticket office, or address the undersigned.

C. H. GATTIS,
District Passenger Agent,
oc 16 tf Raleigh, N. C.

Queen Quality SHOE

Some shoes have style, of a sort, but not quality. "Queen Quality" shoes combine style and quality. The best of each.

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The "Baby-Waker" Sale

is still going. Large crowds and liberal buying are the features. The low prices published in the large advertisements are still holding good.

New arrivals of rugs, pictures, imported dinner sets, tables, hampers, clothes baskets and several other articles have been added this week. Positively no such values ever seen in Wilmington. Call and inspect them if you wish to buy or not. We are pleased to show goods and invite comparison. This sale, as all our sales, is bona fide. No bluff, no hot air. Unequaled values our motto.

The Wilmington Furniture Co.
Wilmington, N. C.

Get Into the Game!

We are going to give someone a

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The one getting the highest number of votes will be awarded the prize. We want your co-operation. Come and have a talk with us about it. We will explain the whole thing. No strings tied to the proposition. It is worth working for. :: :: :: ::

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"The Drug Store That Has Everything Anybody Else Has and Some Things Nobody Else Has."

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Bear's Scuppernong Wine, has in it's way, made North Carolina famous. No other native or foreign wine compares with this home product.

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Scuppernong Port. Blackberry. Belle of Carolina Sherry.

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 4, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M., Monday, November 3rd:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 57 degrees; 8 P. M. 59 degrees; maximum 70 degrees; minimum 57 degrees; mean 64 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 0; for the months, 0.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Tuesday 3.0 feet.

Weather Forecast.

Weather forecast for North Carolina: Fair Thursday and Friday, moderate west winds.

Port Calendar—Nov. 4.

Sun Rises .....6:35 A. M.
Sun Sets .....5:17 P. M.
Day's Length.....10 hrs. 43 min.
High water at Southport 12:17 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington 3:17 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Crystal Palace—Big Bill.
Geo. H. Howell, Referee—In Bankruptcy.
American National Bank—Small Accounts.

Business Locals.

Palace Market—Venison.
Wanted—Boy to Work in Office.
Phone 699.—Carpets Renovated.
Jas. M. Hall—Sultana Olive Oil.
Wanted—Donkey or Small Mule.
J. G. Wright & Son.—Good Big Lot.
Wanted—Young Man as Office Boy.
Wanted—Position as Stenographer.

THE NICARAGUAN SITUATION.

Revolution Closely Watched by United States and Mexico.

Port Cortez, Spanish Honduras, Oct. 28, via New Orleans, Nov. 3.—It is reported here that President Davila, of Honduras, has received several cable messages from the State Department at Washington informing him that the United States and Mexico are watching closely the course of the Honduran government in connection with the revolution in Nicaragua.

The gist of these cables is said to be that the United States and Mexico expect Honduras to keep hands off.

The cables are said to have been received shortly after the recent meeting between Presidents Taft and Diaz, at El Paso, Texas.

New Orleans, Nov. 3.—The Honduran government officials say that the attitude of Honduras was clearly stated in the Associated Press dispatches from Port Cortez under date of October 21st, when it was officially announced that the tug Puerto Perlas had been detained at Port Cortez in order to conform with the peace agreement made at Washington. They claim there was no demand from the Zelaya government for the seizure of this tug, but that it was known the mission of the tug was to bring a supply of arms and ammunition from Guatemala to General Estrada, the leader of the revolutionists. They say that this mission will form the basis of a charge that Zelaya will make against Guatemala in the international court at Cartego.

How the Honduran officials observing such a strict attitude of neutrality are so well informed as to Zelaya's plans is a matter which arouses curiosity. It is further stated that Zelaya will not await the outcome of hostilities before placing this charge before the court. This, among Americans in this section, is taken as evidence that Zelaya is losing courage in spite of his announcements of successful engagements against the revolutionists.

A. C. L. TRAIN SCHEDULES

New Train From North Decided on Last Fall—Some of the Changes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, Nov. 3.—A number of changes of the schedules of passenger trains on the Atlantic Coast Line are being mapped out at the office of the General Superintendent in this city and while all of the corners in the new time table have not been rounded out as yet, some of the proposed changes are given. The event of greatest interest comes in the fact that the new train to and from Jacksonville, Fla., and Washington, D. C., which the railroad officials decided to put on some time during the Fall and it was at first announced would begin operation about the last of the month, has been changed and the train will make it's initial trip on the 15th. It is the purpose of the company to operate this train on a fast schedule, making but few local stops. Sleepers will be handled for August, Cahrleston, and Wilmington and the one for the last named city will be taken off here. The train will pass this city southbound about 4:30 in the morning. The northbound train will pass at 1:30 A. M. or about on the present schedule of Northbound train No. 82. This train north will be changed about 20 minutes later and pass here under the new schedule at 1:50 or thereabouts. There will also be a change in the present southbound train No. 85 which passes now at 10:33. It's time will be changed 20 minutes later.

GOOD WAY TO DO BUSINESS.

In ordering a 50c bottle of Dr. Howard's celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at 25 cents, J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., are giving one of the greatest trade chances ever offered to the people of Wilmington.

Even though offered at half price for introductory purposes the specific is sold under a guarantee to cure or the money will be refunded.

If food does not digest well ,if there is gas or pain in the stomach, if the tongue is coated and the breath bad, i fthere is constipation and straining, Dr. Howard's specific will cure you. If it does not, you have Druggists J. Hicks Bunting's personal guarantee to return your money.

This remarkable remedy comes in the form of tiny ganules, and can be carried in the vest pocket or purse. It is very popular in New York City, and it is not unusual to see someone after a meal at one of the large hotels or restaurants, take a dose of this specific, knowing that it will prevent the uncomfortable feeling which frequently follows a hearty meal.

Dr. Howard's specific gives quick relief and makes permanent cures of constipation, dyspepsia and all liver troubles.

TAMMANY PLANS FOR NEW REGIME

(Continued from First Page.)

ity will be cut down from 31 to a majority by a single vote.

In addition to this loss several of the nominally Democratic votes from the Brooklyn districts are the product of a fusion between the Democratic and the Hearst Independent forces and are hardly to be depended upon to support their Democratic colleagues in all instances.

Otto T. Bannard, the defeated Republican candidate for mayor, loomed up today as a possibility for the New York State gubernatorial nomination next year. Herbert Parsons, Republican county chairman, said in a brief statement:

"Mr. Bannard's clean and business-like campaign against tremendous odds has had its effect and I think we shall hear from him again. He has proved himself an excellent standard bearer and the party has need of many such men."

The Virginia Election.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 3.—Tonight's returns from yesterday's election in Virginia make little change in the Democratic plurality on the gubernatorial ticket upwards of 25,000 heretofore announced. The general falling off in the total vote of the State from the Bryan-Taft figures seems to be about 12 1-2 per cent., and this proportion applied to the plurality makes the figures about 26,500 and shows that the falling off was about the same on both sides.

In Washington county and Bristol City, both of the Democratic nominees for the House of Delegates have been elected, so that the political complexion of the House will remain unchanged from what it is at present, that is to say, 14 Republicans and 86 Democrats.

The complexion of the Senate was not affected by yesterday's election.

The fuller returns of tonight show that there was no particular scratching of Judge Mann anywhere, and that there was no movement of consequence from the Democratic party.

The Legislative result assures the re-election of John W. Daniel to the United States Senate, he being the Democratic party nominee for the Senatorship under the primary law.

SAVANNAH HERMIT DEAD.

Body of Peter Liest Found Two Days After Death—His Life.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 3.—Peter G Liest, who claimed a dozen trades and professions, but who was a hermit, was found dead at his home near Savannah today. He had been dead since Monday. He was seated in a chair apparently staring at the wall of his room on which he had written his will leaving his property, which is considerable, to his son, who is in school at Sharon, Pa., or in event of his death to Henry Dreyer, of Brooklyn, N. Y. Two hungry bull dogs were guarding the dead man and threatened the police with their fangs.

A year or more ago Liest's wife killed herself by blowing her brains out with a pistol. He shortly afterwards married again after an acquaintance of eight hours and was at the time of his death seeking a divorce. Since he separated from his second wife he became a hermit though he had never cared much for society.

WOMEN APPOINTED

Named on New York Board of Education Yesterday.

New York, Nov. 3.—As one of the few important official acts which will fall to Mayor George B. McClellan before his administration closes December 31st, he appointed today three women to the board of education and thereby conceded one of the principal demands of women suffrage organizations. It is the first time in more than a quarter of a century that women have gained representation on the board of education and the news, heralded throughout woman suffrage ranks tonight, was welcomed as a victory. The three women appointed today each of whom represents a different religious faith, are Mrs. Herbert D. Robbins and Miss Olivia Leventritt, daughter of State Supreme Court Justice Leventritt, both of New York city, and Mrs. Alfred S. Post, of Flushing, L. I.

WINS SCHOLARSHIP.

Young A. C. L. Employe at Rocky Mount Comes to Wilmington.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, Nov. 3.—At a recent examination of the aprentices in the service of the Atlantic Coast Line over the first division, William A. Barnes, a young man of this city, who has been in the employ of the company in their shops here for the past several years, was awarded the scholarship given by the company for the young man who stands the highest examination in the service. The scholarship entitles the winner to a seevral months' course in the school of instruction in mechanical engineering which the company conducts at Wilmington. The young man left this morning for Wilmington to enter upon his new duties.

CLEARS THE COMPLEXION.

Discovery That Cures Pimples, Eczema and All Skin Troubles.

If you are troubled with pimples, blackheads,acne, barber's itch, blotches, freckles or other skin disease or blemish, now is the time to cure it with Hokara.

This pure and simple skin food is being introduced in Wilmington by J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., at the low price of 25c for a liberal sized jar.

It contains no grease or acid, is cleanly to use and is a true food and nourishment for the skin, cleansing and clearing it in every pore, making it soft, white and beautiful.

If Hokara does not do even more than is claimed for it and give perfect satisfaction return the empty jar to J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., and they will refund your money. If you have any skin trouble, you cannot spend 25c to better advantage than for a jar of this skin food. Larger size 50c.

If the skin trouble is caused by impure blood, or if the bowels are inactive, use Hokara Blood Tablets. They cool and cleanse the blood and regulate the bowels in a natural way.

PLAYED TO STANDSTILL

No Score Came Btween Davidson and South Carolina Academy.

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 3.—Davidson College and the South Carolina Military Academy, of Charleston, played a no-score game of football at the fair grounds today under a boiling sun. The heat perceptibly lessened the vigor of the players, but the game was hard fought.

The cost of getting a new boarder is not often greater than the cost of one insertion of a Business Local. Sometimes two or three insertions are needed.

RETAIL MEN'S CLOTHING SALESMAN

Exceptional opportunity offered to ambitious salesman, with good following, to start in business for himself. For particulars apply to H. A. L., care LORD & THOMAS 250 Fifth Avenue. New York City. All communications strictly confidential.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

A GOOD BIG LOT—Room for two houses; reasonable price and terms so easy that you don't feel the paying for it—is what we offer you on Eastern Hill, Thirteenth between Dock and Ann streets. That each statement is not even exaggerated is proved by the rapidity in which the lots are going. Seventeen sold since Sunday last, all bona fide sales and no payment less than the $50 first payment. We mention this to show you that others agree as to the value of this proposition. Let us show you the map and tell you of the property. Better still, look at it yourself, 13th street, between Dock and Ann. The lots sold are staked off and the names of the purchasers put on each one. We will appreciate hearing from you. Wright's Real Estate Agency, 124 Princess street. no 4-1t.

VENISON. Where? Why, at the Palace Market. Anything else? Anything you wish good in meat, fruit and vegetable lines. They keep all. Palace Market. 'Phones 72 and 653. no 4-tf.

WANTED—Donkey or small mule about four to five hundred pounds, must be cheap. Write "W. W. W." Burgaw, N. C. no 4-2t*

WANTED—Boy to work in office with knowledge of stenography and typewriting. Apply quick, Box 177, City. no 4-3t.

WANTED—By young lady, position as stenographer. Can furnish reference. Address "M. L. G." care Star. no 4-1t*

NO MORE BEATING carpets and rugs. The vacuum electric cleaning machine does the work. No dust. Best of service on short notice. 'phone 699. no 4-1t*

WANTED—Young man as office boy, some knowledge of shorthand preferred. Address Wholesale, care Star. no 4 2t.

SULTANA OLIVE OIL—Mr. Vafiadi, the Sultana agent here, has arranged to have this oil distributed in the future by Hall's drug store, Fifth and Castle. Pints 50c, Quarts $1.00. Phone orders filled promptly. no 4-tf.

SHIP ME your eggs, poultry, hams, hides, beeswax and any kind of produce. Will pay highest market prices and make prompt returns. N. C. hams a specialty. C. B. Bellois, 16 North Second street. 'Phone 1576. oc 31-tf.

FOR SALE—At half price, one 20-horse power saw mill in running order; will exchange for land or sell part cash, balance on time. Apply to W. C. Page, Faison, N. C. no 2 15t*

WE HAVE GUNS to sell and guns to rent, at Uncle Charles' Pawn Shop, No. 108 Market street. oc 6 tf

WANTED—.osition by an experienced bookkeeper reference and bond furnished. Address "Bookkeeper" Byrdsville, N. C. no 3 2t*

WE WILL HAVE another car load of big horses and mules by Thursday the 5th, the right kind at the right prices. At Mills' Stables, 116 North Second street, F. T. Mills & Co. no 3 2t

WHY LET YOUR MONEY earn but 6 per cent. when it will earn 8 or more in the People's Building & Loan Association. New series Saturday, December 4th. Managed by men of ability who believe in small expense and large earnings for the stockholders. This association has made a remarkable record not a single loss since organiza.. n. Many homes built many doctor's bills paid. A friend when money talks. December 4th is the opening, books now open. Remember the date. Wm. F. Robertson, president, D. R. Foster, secretary and treasurer, office 206 Princess street no 3 tf

JUNCTION RESTAURANT—Specialty of dairy lunches and everything the market affords. Best of service. Convenient to car line. 105 Princess street. no 2-tf.

NEWLY MADE—Lot of improved White Pine Cough Syrup; 25c bottles. We deliver to any city address. James M. Hall. oc 5-tf.

PHOTOGRAPHS—Nothing more appropriate for a Christmas Souvenir than a fine enlargement or a stylish photographs. The U. C. Ellis Studio. oc 19-tf

FOR RENT—The house I now occupy, 509 South Front street, six minutes walk from Front and Market, or new house, just completed, Sixth and Nun, eleven minutes' walk from same point. Modern conveniences. B. F. King. oc 17-tf.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN to make room, Eclipse newspaper folding machine; also lot of type cases and stands. Address Wilmington Star Co., Wilmington, N. C. oc 12-tf

WANTED—Laborers at the saw mill and planing mill at Byrdsville, N. C. oc 22 2w

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

SEND YOUR FILMS to the Gem Studio, 114 Market street. Any size film developed, ten cents. Any size picture finished for five cents. Titmas & Foltz, props. fe 17-tf.

DR. J. W. BLACKMER, Osteopathic Physician, Southern Building. Hours: 9 to 12 A. M., 2 to 5 P. M. Phone 1460. Other hours by apointment. oc 19-3wks.

RED CROSS PRESSING CLUB, 'phone 1773, Y. M. C. A. building, C. H. Beardsley, proprietor. Sole agents for the City Tailors of Chicago. Finest clothes to measure at lowest prices. Fit and Quality guaranteed. Try us. Ladies' and Gents' membership $1 per month. French dry cleaning and dyeing a specialty. Phone us a trial order. Velvet collars put on at reasonable prices. All work guaranteed. oc 8 tf

SPECIAL OFFER—Six half cabinet photographs and one platinum finish enlargement, for one dollar. Best value ever offered. Titmas & Foltz, Props. The Gem Studio, 114 Market street, Wilmington, N. C., fe 17-tf

LITTLE WILLIE HONESTY has put me wise, so I will put you likewise. Have you noticed the difference in the Wilmington, N. C., market on hides, raw furs, tallow, beeswax and wool since the little office at 212 Market street, has been buying these goods. You go or ship them once and you will go and ship again; if honest dealings are appreciated. We handle all kinds of country produce to good advantage also. C. D. Gilbert & Bro., 212 Market street, Wilmington, N. C. oc 24-tf

COMING OUR WAY.

Good work tells. We are kept busy these days fixing out-of-whack wagons, carriages, etc., etc. Good reason—we know how to do the trick and do it; we have the right materials—wood, iron, paint and varnish—and use them. Then, too, we are prompt in executing repair orders. May we have yours?

J. O. BROWN'S

TAFT DAY

WE will be open until one o'clock next Tuesday, and glad to see our out-of-town friends.

W. B. COOPER

Wholesale Grocer
WILMINGTON, N. C.

New Bill TO-DAY Crystal Palace

Free Boxes of Candy. Free Handsome Crayon Pictures.

The man who smokes

Pride of Reidsville

knows no real trouble; the man who does not, no real joy. Every leaf, every granule is perfect, and nothing else yields as much comfort to its consumer.

Awarded grand prize at St. Louis.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received by J. D. Pridgen, Secy. Durham, N. C., for the erection of the Pythian Orphanage at Clayton, N. C., until 12 o'clock noon of Nov. 16, and the proposals will be opened by the Committee on Nov. 18th.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned, also at the office of J. D. Pridgen, Durham, N. C., and at the office of Hook & Rogers, Architects, Charlotte, N. C.

Each contractor presenting a proposal must furnish a certified check in the sum of $300, said check to be forfeited if the successful countractor fails to furnish a satisfactory surety bond in the sum of $10,000 within two weeks from date of award.

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GEO. L. HACKNEY, Chairman.
Pythian Orphanage Committee.
Asheville, N. C., Oct. 18, 1909.
oc 21-28-no-4-3t.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States, for the Eastern District of North Carolina. In the matter of L. C. McDuffie, Bankrupt, In Bankruptcy. To the Creditors of L. C. McDuffie, of Hope Mills in the County of Cumberland in said District, Bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that, on the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1909, the said L. C. McDuffie, of Hope Mills, North Carolina, was duly adjudged bankrupt; and ,that the first creditors' meeting will be held in the County Court House of Cumberland county in Fayetteville, N. C., on the 15th day of November, A. D., 1909, at 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. George H. Howell, Referee in Bankruptcy. Wilmington, N. C., dated this 3rd day of November, A. D., 1909. oc 4-1t.

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